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batcher dashes popes of spring tax cuts

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor

rates were more than "high

priority", as they were con-ditionaly described in the

There appears now to have been a Cabinet decision to

It appears that no forecasts

have yet been prepared for ministers of the sums that will

their greater need for sheltered

accommodation and home helps, will double to a million

The working age population, which must pay taxes to support them, will increase only slightly

by the end of the century.

from 30.5m to 32 million.

Staff report.

expects taxes to be reduced ining taxation the Budget next spring.
She said she still hoped that

there might be tax reductions before the end of the present Parliament, but in interviews for television she showed some anxiety about the problems of balancing revenue and expenditure beyond this Parliament, as the cost of maintaining a growing population of old

Interviewed for Independent Television News, Mrs Margaret Thatcher contemplated the raising of tax thresholds and allowances and increasing revenue duties next spring to keep pace with inflation, but nothing be needed to support the more.

more.
"Over and above that I think "Over and above that I think although the population fore-it will be very difficult this casts are stark. The number of April." she said. "I am not over-people aged 85 and over, with

That is the majority view of Cabinet ministers after their first collective discussion on next year's expenditure last week when they agreed to keep the overall level at £126,400m as planned.

Although some of them suspected that Treasury ministers were being too gloomy about the prospects for growth and higher revenue, few believed any room would be left for tax cuts and several agree

ment, he said.

restrictive practices.

ment with the Government,

which says it will stop the

action in exchange for reforms

Adams told

'no jail visits

to terrorists'

By John Witherow

and Richard Ford

den Mr Gerry Adams. Provisional Sinn Fein MP for

Belfast West, to visit IRA

prisoners in mainland jails,

including some of his constitu-

ents convicted of terrorist

Mr Leon Brittan, the Home Secretary, said it "would be wrong to allow Mr Adams to visit because he is a member of

an organization which openly

esponses the use of violence for

political ends".

During his two days in London this week Mr Adams

expressed a wish to visit some

40 to 50 IRA prisoners to highlight their position and to press for "repairiation" to

Most are category A pris-

oners, which means they are

kept under strict security and

allowed monthly visits only by close friends or relatives Under standing orders MPs

are normally allowed access to

prisoners, although it has

sometimes been limited to their

By David Nicholson-Lord

Temperature records con-

tinued to be broken throughout

Europe vesterday as the heat-

In Germany, which has registered its housest day 104°F - since records began 200

years ago, car-washing has been

banned, beer consumption has

sourced 1,000 per cent. and ducks and fish are said to have

In Italy, the government has

requested emergency fire-fightig

equipment after forest fires in

Sardinia, Sicily, Tuscany, alabria and central provinces.

Thousands have been evacu-ated from their homes and

wave maintained its grip.

been killed by the heat.

Northern Ireland.

The Home Office has forbid-

of the Exchange rule book.

The Prime Minister yesterday the Commons, who has publicly have decided to collect the killed the reports that she raised the possibility of increase evidence and to find a solution raised the possibility of increasevidence and to find a solution for the next Government Nothing Mrs Thatcher said whatever its political colour, to yesterday suggested that for the rest of the Parliament lower tax

In her ITN interview, Mrs Thatcher said that she was always concerned about the long-term problem of public spending because of its natural tendency to rise.

confront the crisis of public provision which it avoided discussing last year when it shelved a Central Policy Review "By the longer term I mean really the next Parliament and beyond that, and by the time people like me are old age pensioners there are going to be rather more than there are now. We are all going to live longer and more young people are going to want to stay in education longer, and we have to look at the burden of both those ends on the working population, because they have to carn the money, they have to feel that they are being left with enough of their own earnings."

Asked by the interviewer, Mr Glyn Mathias if there would therefore be a fundamental reassesment of state benefits, such as unemployment benefit, the Prime Minister replied: The question is whether the minimal provision which a "You always have to look at the civilized Government would burden of your social services wish to afford for the state's on the working population, dependants will cost more than the yield of taxation at the them. So of course any Govern levels now thought reasonable. ment has to look at the What is new is that ministers 'pressures upon them."



Crash orphan: Howard Goddard aged 12, attending the funeral yesterday at St Mary's Church, Ickleton. Cambridgeshire, of his father, mother, brother and sister, all killed in the Scillies helicopter tragedy Funeral of victims, page 2

OFT chief refuses to drop Stock Exchange action

By Philip Robinson and Derek Harris

Sir Gordon Borrie, directorgeneral of the Office of Fair minimum charges on stock and Trading indicated last night that the Government might have to pass legislation if it share dealings and allow nonmembers on to the Stock Exchange Council and the wished him to drop the court boards of member firms. case against the Stock Exchange.

But it has preserved

But it has preserved the Sir Gordon said a statutory separate capacity system of order would not stop him. buying and selling shares under "If the Government is thus which investors can buy only forced into primary legislation to secure the Stock Exchange's exemption it will be the more potentially embarrassing route through brokers and jobbers deal only with brokers.

in his liest dudic statement since the formal announcement because it would have to pass Sir Gurdon said: "It clearly through both Houses of Parlialeaves intact a number of provisions in the rules that His warning came as the Stock Exchange won an adjournment of the legal action restrict entry to the market."

On commission charges he brought by the Office of Fair said: "It is uncertain how soon and to what extent the ending of Trading alleging it operates such rules will be followed by brokers being free to negotiate The move is a further step lowards an out-of-court settle-

commissions. There is increasing sceptisim over the need for a three-year phasing when a similar exercise in Toronto took only six

Miss Rhona Ritchie, the first

secretary at the British Embassy

in Tel Aviv who passed secrets to an Egyptian diplomat with whom she was having an affair.

had a number of lovers -

including an Israeli government

official - during her stay in Israel before she joined the embassy, the report of the

Security Commission into the

Commenting on the report in

a Commons written reply yesterday, the Prime Minister

said there was no evidence that

Miss Ritchie had made any

disclosure of material more

highly graded than confidential.

firmed that the damage to the country's interests from her

disclosures was not great, and

lay in the breach of confidence

and untrustworthiness that they

implied rather than in the

nature of the disclosures them-

the case illustrated that people

in the public services who

embarked on relationships such

Leading article, page 11 | aware of the dangers and month prison sentence.

almost 100,000 acres of Sardi-

njan forest destroyed.

contrast. lemperatures

in parts of northern France.

The worst sufferers are Italy,

and Germany. But eastern Europe was also affected -Prague on Wednesday had its

Italy's Civil Defence Minis-

ter. Signor Loris Fortuna.

yesterday sent a telegram to other EEC states asking for fire-

"exceptional spread of disas-

trous fires".

But the Prime Minister said

selves Mrs Thatcher said

The commission had con-

case disclosed yesterday.

The Exchange will drop months and in New York 18

But Sir Nicholas Goodison. Stock Exchange chairman, said after the court hearing yester-day: "To criticize the Government for accepting the Stock Exchange's proposal of a maximum period of just over three years for this dismantling is ridiculous in the light of the 17 years which it took the Securito take similar action in the

Sir Nicholas will spell out the changes to senior partners of Exchange firms at a private meeting today. Yesterday most were praising him for what they see as a sensible and successful

Others, however, questioned how a system of negotiated commissions could work with the present system of separate

Rhona Ritchie: vuinerable

through relationships

pressures to which they were

the Foreign Office in 1979 and was posted to Israel in August,

1980, although she did not join

March 1982 that she had been

having an affair with Rifaat al

Ansari, her opposite number at

the Egyptian Embassy, and that

she had been passing secret documents to him. She was

recalled to London, admitted

Forest fires Sardinia have led

to 1.000 people in two towns

inmates of a penal colony. Two

Signor Fortuna said on a trip

Fires have also been reported

In Germany the 104°F record

was measured in the shade near

99°F, in Nuremberg to 101°F

and at midnight in Baden-

from countryside around

10 Sardinia that the aircraft and

the fires were inadequate.

The Security Service learnt in

the Embassy till July, 1981.

Miss Ritchie, aged 31, joined

made vuinerable.

Envoy had several

lovers in Israel

By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

as that between Miss Ritchie the disclosures and was subse

and the diplomat needed to be quently given a suspended nine

In France and Spain, by being evacuated as well as 150

mained in the relatively mild farmers, one Sardinian and one

which is at the centre of the helicopters used to drop water

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hottest day in 200 years, with a Florence, where a temperature of 101°F.

other EEC states asking for fire-fighting aircraft because of the Munich temperatures rose to

80s and 90s, dropping to the 60s from Calabria, have died,

City secrets, page 13

curfew for Jewish

From Christopher Walker Hebron

ceremony

While the 70,000 Arabs of ns rem their homes yesterday under Israeli curfew, two Cabinet ministers presided over a sombre ceremony near the centre of the eerily deserted city to commemorate the 1929 Arab massacre of 67 members of the Jewish community.

Crack Israeli marksmen ringed the area and Arab families stared down resentfully from the upper storeys of their homes as Dr Joseph Burg, the Interior Minister, and Professor Yuval Ne'eman, the Science Minister arrived at the hilltop cemetery.

A spokesman for Professor Ne'eman, leader of the ex-treme right-wing Techiya Party, explained that the minister had decided to attend the annual ceremony in person to express his solidarity with the Jewish settlers of Hebron, who had been "falsely ac-cused" of killing Arabs earlier

in the neek. The decision to stage the ceremony in the tense after-math of Tuesday's attack on Hebron's Islamic University which killed three Palestinians and wounded 33 others, was bitterly condemned by the deposed Arab mayor, Mr Mustapha Natche, who has been barred by the Israelis from visiting the survivors in

hospital. "It is both insensitive and provocative while the Arabs are subjected to collective punishment for a crime in which we were the victims", he said. "It seems the Israelis want to switch attention from what the settlers are doing

Mr Natche pointed from his window to the empty city where the only people on the streets were squads of Israeli paratroopers and the occasional Jewish settler carrying an automatic rifle. "When Jews are attacked here, we pay the price and when Arabs are Continued on back page, col 5

Wurttemberg it remained at Thousands of Germans stripped naked in the city parks or plunged into fountains. In Lower Saxony a forest fire caused £620,000 worth of

Ducks were reported to have keeled over dead in the River Spree in Berlin and trout killed in rivers in the south. In Munich's 650 beer gardens

250,000 people were estimated to have drunk half a million litres of beer and 200,000 litres of shandy on Wednesday. A Hamburg publican said he served 1,000 litres of beer, more than 10 times the normal

Arabs under Israel tells Phalange to quit barracks

From Robert Fisk, Beirut

southern Lebanon.

The Phalange, a Christian private army, fought alongside the Israelis during the siege of West Beirut and then massacred hundreds of Palestinian civi lians in the city.

Thousands of Maronite villagers in the area. encouraged by the Phalange party's political headquarters in Beirut, burned tyres on country roads est of Sidon and shouted abuse at Israeli soldiers who had ordered the Phalange out of their quarters by sundown.

According to the Israeli Army, the militiamen failed to "cooperate" with their troops. Phalangist officials in Beirut,

Israel's long-standing alliance who said that they had also with the right-wing Lebanese been ordered to close down a Phalange-militia appeared to be second barracks and a party on the verge of breaking apart political office in the region, last night after Israeli troops suspect that the Israelis want to ordered the militia to clase hand the military bases over to army before withdrawing to the Awali River.

There was considerable consternation among the militia officers in Beirut that the Israelis were about to abandon

Christian gunmen wandered the roads around the village of Kfar Falous and in the nearby town of Sarba, Christian villagers were last night reported to have built earth barricades around the church and the local Phalangist barracks to prevent Israeli troops from approaching.

Women standing outside the Kfar Falous barracks kept

Colombo acts to appease mobs

From Michael Hamlyn Colombe

Political parties advocating the partition of Sri Lanka will be banned. President J R Jaywardene announced yesterday as news emerged of a second massacre in Colombo's main jaiL

In an attempt to appease the mobs which have attacked Tamil homes and businesses, the President declared that those seeking partition will "lose their civil rights and cannot hold office, cannot practise professions, join move-ments or organizations".

Mr Jaywardene said in a nationwide broadcast: "The government has now decided that the time has come to accede to the clamour and the request, the natural request, of the Sinhala people that we do not allow the movement for

division to grow any more."

The Tamil United Liberation Front, the only party represent-ing Tamils in Parliament. supports partition.

A government spokesman disclosed yesterday that 17 more prisoners were killed on Wednesday when inmates forced their way out of cells in Wilkuda prison and attacked Tamils being detained under the National Security Act. Among those killed was Dr S.

Rajasundaram, secretary of the Gandhian movement in Sri Lanka. The movement receives support from the World Coun-etl of Churches and other charities to run refugee camps in the north of the island.

Earlier this week, a magistrate's inquest opened into 35 deaths which took place in the Colombo jail on Monday.

The Government also announced that three Sinhalese prisoners were killed in predominantly-Tamil Jatina, in the far north of the island, on

Tuesday. Yesterday, there was an ugly incident on a train running from the hill town of Kandy to the capital, A group of assumed Tamils, who the Government said were carrying hand bombs and guns, were discovered and

killed by passengers.
According to a witness on board the train a young man was pursued from carriage to carriage and pummelled and beaten until he died bleeding

OSLO: woman just returned from a fortnight in Sri Lanka described seeing 20 Tamils burned to death in Colombo when a mob stopped their minibus and poured petrol over it (AP reports).

The mob set light to the vehicle and blocked the doors to prevent the passengers

 Britons safe: Hundreds of Britons were last night still reported to be confined to their hotels and surrounding beaches (PA reports). But tour operators chanting "Ktreb (Phalange) said they were in no immediate danger.

Telephone bills to rise by 2.9%

By Clive Cookson

Telephone bills will rise by an average of 2.9 per cent in November when British Telecom ends its two-year price

Telecom yesterday sent de-tails of the proposed increases to the Post Office Users National Council, the consumer watchdog. They were fore-shadowed in last week's Tele-com annual report, which showed an unexpected 20 per cent decline in 1982/83 profit to £365m. The proposals give Telecom

an average increase of 3.2 per cent from residential customers and 2.7 per cent from businesses. The basic unit fee for local and trunk calls is going up by 2.3 per cent, while quarterly rental charges rise by 4.6 per

Telecom makes a big loss on residential rentals - estimated at £323m last year - and it intends to push up those charges faster than those for telephone calls.

The international division. the most profitable and fastest growing part of the corporation, has the smallest increases, with an average of one per cent added to telephone calls abroad. Calls to many parts of the world will actually become slightly cheaper.

Sir George Jefferson, chairman of British Telecom, said. By November prices generally as measured by the Retail Price Index, will have risen by about 12 per cent over the two years since our last set of major changes. What we are proposing now is only a quarter of the level of the RPI increase."

Telecom needed the add itional revenue, he said, to meet the government's financial objectives and to sustain a high level of investment in equipment

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built as recently as 10 years ago lition or have started already. are in urgent need of repair and renovation at a cost which could exceed £5,000m. a survey to be published in the autumn

A report is being produced by the Association of Metropolitan Authorities which indicates serious structural problems in council flats and houses constructed in the 1960s and 1970s hy non-traditional methods. This latest survey of council housing comes after a report published two weeks ago that suggested 500,000 homes erected in the 1940s and 1950s require repair work of £5,000m.

But the real cost of rectifying many of the mistakes made in the expansionist housing polithe expansionist nousing poli-cies of 20 years ago could be much higher than £5,000m. The association has identified 500,000 homes, mainly of the existent built type, that need extensive remedial work, but Mr. Ted Cantle, its housing research diector, said it believes is many as 1,000,000 are

Mr Cantle believes that many authorities are considering "wholesale demolition" of homes in the North, the Midlands and parts of London.

Councils such as Manchester.

Funerals of

helicopter

victims

The five members of the Fuller family of Headington, Oxford, who were killed in the

Isles of Scilly helicopter crash.

have been cremated in the city.

Only immediate relatives were

Mr David Fuller, aged 42,

was a doctor who specialized in

treating children born with

deformities. Dr Jean Fuller, also

42, was a general practitioner who had helped to run family planning clinics in Oxfordshire.

Their three children. Rachel, aged 15. Simon, aged 13 and Alison, aged 11, died with them.

Mr John Cole, the family

solicitor, said there would be a

memorial service, probably in

September, and there were

plans to create a special fund in

memory of the family, possibly

Ellen Hanslow, who was

connected to orthopaedics.

hody has not been found.

brother, Nicholas, aged 15, and

Representative's of the Law

Society, led by the chairman of

the criminal law committee. Mr

Michael Sachs, complained to

the Prison Department yester-day about lack of access for

solicitors to chents being held

on remand from London courts

Prison Service, Mr Christopher

Train, was given a dossier which stated that in some cases

solicitors have been unable to

Len Doherty, an award-win-

ning journalist, blamed himself for the deaths of several people

when he was caught in a terrorist attack at Munich

airport 13 years ago, the coroner

said at an inquest in Sheffield

Mr Donerty, aged 53, was

found last Friday hanging in the garage at his home in Hurlfield

Drive, Gleadles, Sheffield. Dr

Herbert Pilling, the coroner, recorded a verdict that Mr Doherty killed himself.

Gary Graham, aged 12, of

Wavertree. Merseyside. was

killed when the car which he

and other fugitives from a

community home hit a lamp

At Liverpool Crown Court

vesterday the driver, aged 16 was found guilty of reckless

driving and given a year's youth

custody and banned from

driving for two years. He was

cleared of causing death by

Rapist trapped

by photographs

Derek Hammond, aged 22, of

Copley Close, Hanwell. London, a rapist, was jailed for 11 years by the Central Criminal

Court yesterday after being trapped by two photographs he took of himself in a "muscle

Hammond had pleaded not

guilty to raping two women and

burgling a public house. A film

from a camera stolen there was

processed by police and in-

reckless driving.

man" pose.

Crash killed

runaway boy

speak to prisoners in private.

killed himself

Journalist

yesterday.

The Director General of the

nis sister. Clare, aged 13.

Solicitors in

cells protest

in police cells.

invited to the service.

A million council homes are either considering demo- which was completed 17 years

In Leeds, demolition started on the Hunslet Grange complex, south of the city centre, at the beginning of the year. The the Yorkshire Developement Group, a consortium of local authorities including Leeds, Nottingham, Hull and Sheffield

The authorities employed what is known at a "deck" system made by asphalt and concrete which cracks in severe weather. Water then penetrates parts of the building through the hairline fractures causing damp

It has long been recognised that damp and condensation are big faults in system building. In the case of Hunselt Grange. condensation problems were exacerbated because the homes were originally designed for gas warm-air heating.

The Ronan Point disaster again and install electric heating, but the system was not powerful enough to combat condensation and damp, and condensation and damp. was also extremely expensive for the tenants.

In London, the borough of Southwark has asked the Government for £45m to demolish and rebuild the Scotlan Bonamy Estate, Rotherhithe, damp,

The 900 flats and maisonettes were constructed on a concrete raft basis which has buckled and placed pressure on party walls. 1,249 maisonettes and flats These are now badly cracked were built about 12 years ago by and let in water. The estimated cost of complete repair and renovation would be as much as demolition and rebuilding. A public meeting of the tenants showed that most favoured razing the estate and rebuilding.

Mr Cantle estimates that so far 10.000 homes have had to demolished and many thousands more are under

The report being prepared is part of a series. It is expected to be published in October. Work been completed on a study timber-frame homes which were the subject of television investigation six weeks ago, it will be published

The Ronan Point disaster lieved to exist in Scotland, made the authorities think although the extent is difficult to estimate because no govern-Scottish affairs began a study into damp problems. Although no statistics were published, the committee suggested that 20 per Scotland

Unions fear spread of no-strike plan

plan to ban strikes by nurses and other medical workers. They predicted that it would be applied to other workers in essential public services. Mr Rodney Bickerstaffe.

general secretary of the National Union of Public Employees, said: "It is the old tactic of don't join the union and we'll pay you a penny an hour more

committee decided against a boycott of the pay review body, which rules out industrial action by key NHS staff in Government was committed to return for salary comparability with private industry. But the unions will seek clarification of the Government's intentions towards existing collective bargaining machinery.

orphaned in the disaster with The Royal College of Nursthe loss of her father John, aged ing, which is not affiliated to the TUC, welcomed Mrs Thatcher's announcement. "We are pleased that the special position 12 and mother Marie, aged 40, uttended her parents' funeral vesterday, although her father's of nurses within the NHS who Howard Goddard, aged 11, have a commitment not to illended the funeral service of strike has been recognized by his entire family, at Ickleton, tather. Ron, aged 46. his mother. Helen, aged 44, his strike.

Mr Norman Fowler, Secday that the Government would essential service."

Health union leaders yester- not necessarily be bound by the day rejected the Government's recommendations of the pay body it proposes to cover nurses, midwives and other professional staff. Speaking on BBC radio one, he added: The Government has to make a judgment on the national interest".

The health unions seized on that point, arguing that for the past 10 years the Cabinet had not met in full the recommendations of a similar review body The TUC health services for doctors and dentists, while

Government was committed to establishing the review body without delay". He insisted that he would "reserve the right to exclude groups that do resort

"My belief is that the vast majority of nurses and people covered by this pay review body will not take industrial action. If there was unofficial action by a few, that would not invalidate the arrangement for the many."

The Institute of Directors did "not constitute a denial of the right to strike. It is a recognition of the fact that the retary of State for Social community have a right to Services, gave a warning yester- expect the maintenance of an

BMA attacks spending cuts in health service

By Pat Healy, Health Services Corresponde

The British Medical Association yesterday criticised the Government strongly over the present round of emergency spending cuts that are causing anguish ia hospitals.

Dr John Gavard, secretary of the association said after a delegation had seen Mr Norman Fowler, the Secretary of State for Social Services: "What sticks in my throat is that this Government must have known what the situation was and could have seen these

"I could understand a new Government coming into power, assessing the books for the first time, and then making

Dr Havard said the cuts were leading to ward closures, reductions in services, consultants not being appointed and an unacceptably high number of newly qualified medical students not being offered preregistration posts.

One English health authority, which he declined to name, was considering the temporary closure of the child psychiatry unit and a post-natal ward, converting several in-patient wards into five-daya-week wards, and temporarily closing an entire hospital to

meet its share of the savings. Figures disclosed at the meeting suggested that the new targets, to be released in a circular to health authorities next week, would require staff cuts of 6,000 of the 800,000 employed in the health service in England. That would equal approxi-

mately one doctor per district, and Dr Havard threw doubt yesterday on the likelihood of Mr Fowler's intention of protecting patient care and jobs for doctors and nurses being met.

yesterday by Miss Ada Maddocks, health officer of the National and Local Government Officers Association and chairman of the TUC health services committee.

Both Treat and Northern regional health authorities have decided that most cuts must come from their district must come from their district health authorities. Trent, which is being told to find a £7.1 million cut this year, is contributing only £320,000 savings from regional services; the districts are being asked to produce plans by September an how they sell most the next on how they will meet the rest.

The Northern region is being told to cut £6,250,000, all of it being imposed on the 16 districts.

In Scotland, the health boards are to be asked to cut spending by one per cent each, to provide total cuts of £12.1m,

it was disclosed yesterday.

Centrally-managed health
programmes will meet the rest
of £16.4m of cuts in the sector.

Riders' insurance

By a Staff Reporter

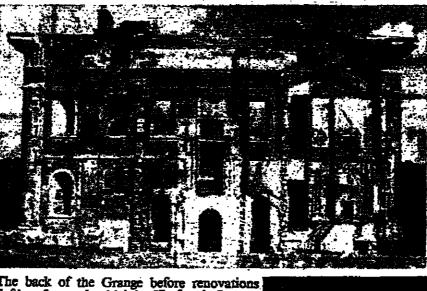
use them without harness or chinstrap, according to a survey published yesrterday in the magazine Riding. More than 90 per cent of replies analysed were personal accident policies wearfrom riders who always wore ing headgear. Most wore hats, but a few wore crash helmets.

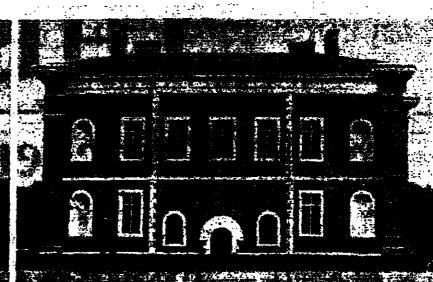
The results were based on half of 6.000 replies to questionnaires sent by the magazine to 100,000 riders. Almost a tenth said that no harness or chin- headgear which hardly ever strap was fitted to their came off if the strap was used.

Nearly all horsenders wear headgear and a fifth did not use hats but more than a quarter them when they were fitted.

> Large insurance companies said yesterday that they did not insist on riders covered by their headgear.

> Half of the riders in the survey had a fall in the year before replying, and nearly a tenth had to go to hospital. Almost all who fell wore





The back of the Grange before renovations (left), afterwards (right). The facade (bottom

Grange restored to view

The Grange, the neo-classial country house in Northington, Hampshire, once threatened with demolition, has opened to the public after expensive renovation.

The Department of the Environment took over responsibility for the rains in 1975 The Grange continued to decay, however, until 1979 when, after appeals from the

president of the Royal Academy, the Society of Antiquaries and the Council for British Archaeology, Mr Michael Heseltine, who was Secretary of State for the Environment, set aside £500,000 to restore the exterior.

Emergency talks on FT sought

By Barrie Clement

Two craft unions are demanding an emergency meeting at the TUC to discuss the wo-month stoppage at the

Leaders of the Electrical, lectronics, Telecommuni-Electronics. Electronics. Telecommunications and Plumbimg Union (EEPTU) and the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers (AUEW) are calling on Mr Len Murray, the TUC general secretary, to convene a special meeting of the position indicates meeting of the printing industries committee.

The unions want the meeting

to take place next Monday or Tuesday ahead of the general council meeting on Thursday, which could invoke rule 13 leading to the expulsion from the movement of the National Graphical Association. Meanwhile, initiatives, be-

lieved to come from Sogat '82, a rival printing trade union, were taking place to persuade the NGA and the management to "leapfrog" the present argu-The idea would be that the

NGA forgets its £322-a-week for its 22 machine minders at the newspaper and goes straight into negotiations for a joint pressroom agreement. Such an agreement would seek to end the dispute over differentials between the NGA and semi-skilled workers in the machineroom who belong to

It would also seek to include disputes procedures for the introduction of new technology. suggested by the electricians' union because it is concerned both to preserve its traditional support for the moderating role played by the TUC and to back

fellow craft union's defence of differentials.
The AUEW motive is different. It is concerned that the NGA's refusal to accept the company's offer of £304 a week, which was subsequently endorsed by a mediator, could

mean a loss of jobs.

A complicating factor is that
Mr Murray has called Sogat 82 and the electricians union into talks on Monday to discuss the issuing of Sogat cards to several hundred Fleet Street electricians who were former EEPTU

Health hazards

New curb on asbestos stripping

By Hugh Clayton, Environment Correspondent

top uncontrolled and potentially dangerous stripping of asbestos at disused power stations. The move was announced as demonstrators protested at the London headquarters of the Central Elec-tricity Generating Board. Most of the 40 redundant

power stations are in residential areas and contain tons of asbestos-based lagging and insulation. Minute asbestos fibres can produce lung linings and cause fatal cancers which may not be identified for several

From today the board will be forbidden to sell redundant stations until they have been stripped of asbestos under supervision. Last week the Health and Safety Executive ordered contractors to stop stroping asbestos at Fulham power station in London.

The station has been sold and is to be demolished. The executive found aumospheric levels of asbestos fibres well above legal limits after residents complained about the way the. stripping was done.

Ministers acted yesterday to evidence of danger at Fulham. Safety Executive in a report But there was public concern, so requested from two medical specialists on the existing no power station would now be sold until stripping had been controls. done under the ownership of About the board. Monitoring of the

operation by the executive would continue. power stations have closed in the past 15 years, and 98 are in operation. Of the 40 to be demolished, 17 are for sale and six are in the process of being

Stations now being sold are Hartshead. West Yorkshire: North Tees Cleveland: Stuart Street, Manchester, Ports mouth; Doncaster and King-ston-on-Thames. Those for sale include Islington, Croydon B. Bankside and Blackwall Point in London: Ashford in Kent and Rye House in Heriford-shire. Others for sale are Portishead B. Avon; Chadderton and Kearsley in Greater Manchester, Kirkstall and Thornhill, West Yorkshire, Walsall, Stourport and Nechells near Birmingham; Nottingham; Spondon A near Derby, and Sculcoat, Humberside,

Mr John Selwya Gummer, A formal ban on importing Parliamentary Under-Secretary and manufacturing products at the Department of Employ- made from crocidolite (blue ment responsible for health and asbestos) and amosite is resafety, said yesterday was no commended to the Health and

11,000 tonnes of crocidolite had been imported before the connexion with a specific form of cancer was recognized and the industry stopped using it as an insulating material.
A study by Professor E D

Acheson and Dr M J Gardner of the Medical Research Council's Environmental Epidemiology Unit Southampton, shows an incidence of deaths among workers with amosite from the same type of asbestos-related cancers associated with the blue form of the mineral. • There were no insurmount-

able problems for producing lead-free petrol or making car engines to run on it, the Commons was told yesterday by Mr Patrick Jenkin, Secretary of State for the Environment. His written statement was a response to a call from the Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution for faster action in removing lead from the air, urban areas and water. Plans to build a £500m power station in the heart of the Peak national park have been

shelved. it was announced

Van Dyck portrait goes to America for £1.3m

painting is leaving the country.
The full-length portrait, Anne
Killigrew. Mrs Kirke, by Sir
Anthony van Dyck has been sold to the United States by Mr Clive Gibson, whose father, Lord Gibson, is chairman of the National Trust.

The painting is said to have been valued at \$2m (£1.3m). The liability to capital taxes is probably around 75 per cent, which would mean the Treasu-ry is the chief beneficiary of the transaction and should collect about £1m.

Mr Gibson recently in-herited the historic house, Parham Park, near Pulborogh, Sussex, from his aunt, Mrs

Veronica Tritton.
The collection at Parham

world wars by Mr and Mrs Clive Pearson, Mr Gibson's grandparents. They acquired this portrait in 1922.

The painting is large and imposing, more than 7ft-high. Mrs Kirke is shown in a deep gold dress She had been a dresser to

the Queen and was married to George Kirke, a gentleman of the king's wardrobe. The portrait has been dated by Sir Oliver Millar at around 1638.

It passed into the collection of another great portrait artist, Sir Peter Lely, and was bought at the auction of his collection in 1682 by the Earl of Kent. The portrait's most likely estination is the J. Paul

Getty Museum in Malibu,



Wedding day: Princess Antoinette of Monaco, aged 62, elder sister of Prince Rainier, with Mr John Gilpin, a British choreographer, aged 53, after they were married at a civil ceremony in Monte Carlo yesterday. It is her third marriage and his second

Longer police training

weeks in changes which will mean that new officers will not patrol the streets alone until they have had seven months' teaching or supervision.

announced acceptance of the recommendations of a Police Training Council working party on police probationary training. The working party followed the

By Our Crime Reporter

Initial training for entrants findings of the Scarman Report two provincial police forces is two years ago, which called for to be extended from 10 to 14 revision of police training. Lord Scarman called for six months of initial training at

training centres but the working party felt that was not possible because of resources and finance. They have created a The changes were revealed because of resources and finance. They have created a system which would mean what the Home Secretary, when he Mr Brittan vesterday called a Mr Brittan yesterday called a "two-year apprenticeship" during which new officers work on the streets interspersed with assessments and fresh teaching.

Hattersley redefines defence role

ment was the most unpopular policy on which the Labour Party had ever fought an election. Mr Roy Hattersley, one of the leadership contenders, said yesterday.

the hard-left journal. Mr Roy Hattersley set out his views on how the party's defence policy. which he said lost it more votes than anything else, should be presented.

He would say "No" to Trident and Cruise and "No" to Polaris "if it can be negotiated away". But as members of Nato Britain must fulfil its responsibilities. "That includes Nato Troops and Nato bases being stationed here," he

Mr Hattersley said he did not accept that the overwhelming majority of Labour Party members were in favour of outand-out unilateralism.

He also made it clear that he was prepared to face the disbandment of constituency Labour parties in the continuing purge of the Militant Tendency.

The system for selection of MP's should be reformed.

Selection and reselection should be voted on by the entire membership. But the reselection process should be triggered only if that was the wish of the local party's general management committee, he said.

Turnover record for Christie's

By Geraldine Norman Sale Room Correspondent

Christie's, the fine art auctioneers, yesterday announced a turnover of £229m for the 1982-83 sale season, the highest figure achieved by the firm in its 200year history. Worldwide, turnover was exactly a third higher than the previous year. That compares with a 2 per cent increase at Sotheby's and 16 per cent at Phillips.

The figures underline the fact that the art market is on the move again. There is more demand and more goods are for sale. Some prices, at least, are rising sharply. The summer sales in London have shown a much stronger trend in prices but it is not yet affecting all fields. The new purchasing power is largely American and the fields which appeal to American tastes, such as modem pictures, are the most bouyant.

The sharp rise in value of top quality works or art in all fields has also continued. The gap between the value of the best and the second best is still growing. The figures also underline the

extent to which Christre's has profited from troubles and uncertainty at Sotheby's. The main impact came in the autumn of 1982 when Sotheby's New York turnover dropped sharply and Christie's made a contraction to the state of corresponding jump. In the second half of the season confidence in Sotheby's appears to have returned. Turnover since the beginning of March is 33 per cent higher than last

Turnover at Sotheby's and Christie's is generally similar, and the difference this year reflects Sotheby's troubles. Unlike Christie's, turnover there is still well below the £353m recorded in 1980-81. Philhos's main trade comes

in the middle section of the market, so its 16 per cent increase in turnver is an important guage of how the market as a whole is moving although its quick, officient service appears to have gained it an increased overall share this

Auction Turnover

Arms race condemned by Catholic bishops

By Robert Nowell The need for serious move-

to ensure servival of the human race has been emphasized by the Roman Catholic bishops of Ireland in a 3,000-word state ment. The Storm that The extens, published in Dublin yesterds, The destructive power of

moders warfare, with the nuclear threat at its core, faces mankind with an appalling fact - the continuation of the human race can no longer be taken to granted." the bishops said. I bealternative to disarmament was that one day nuclear weapon-would be used "and that, quite simply, is not an alternative for mankind".

manging.
The bishops listed conditions
for a nuclear deterrent to be tolerable as the leaser evil: An intention of using such weaponagainst population centres and no aim for superiority u equality.

Moreover, deterrence must be efforts to bring about disarmsment. Describing as insune a permanent and complacent reliance on deterrence, the bishops asked: "Who can imagine the present balance, inherently unstable and constantly excalating in terms of destructive power, enduring for

The bishops described (be present position - 'not a balance at all but a steady escalation" - 25 "2 scandel in a even to food and health care, are being denied not by totalitarian dictatorships alone but by all those who think it mor-important to build up then power of overkill than to fred the hungry."

The publication of the statement, which comes after more detailed and comprehensive statements earlier this year by the Roman Catholic bishup-of the United States, West Germany, Netherlands and Belgiam, will increase the pressure on those in England and Wales to issue a similar

definitive statement. The English and Welsh bishops disagree on the morality of the deterrent. Some regard it as morally justifiable and others as a conditional intention to do something immoral and therefore in itself immoral.

BA offered discount on Airbus

By Michael Bally Transport Editor

British Airways is being offered up to 20 per cent off the \$25m (£16 3m) price of the new 150-seat Airbus A320 if it orders now for delivery in 1988 That means a saving of up to E59m on a £294m order for 18

aircraft, which the airline needs

to replace its Tridents, due to be

outlawed by new noise regulations in 1986. Airbus wants British Airways order so badly, to get the new \$1,500m project off the ground. that it is also prepared to arrange the lease of 18 Boeing 727s on favourable terms to

bridge the three-year gap

between the Tridents' departure and the new aircraft. As disclosed in The Times this week, British Airways is likely to resist Airbus blandishments as well as others equally powerful from Boeing and McDonnell Douglas, in favour of an independent leasing deal, keeping its options open until later in the decade when the new aircrast are needed.

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The document rules out

setting up corporal punishment

schools as being expensive, impractical and administra-

to parents who opposed it; leaving the initiative to those

who do not object; or asking parents to state their preference. The document says the third approach would give the clearest picture, but involve the

The document is being sent

to lacal authority, teacher, and

parent associations for com-ments, which should be made

before the end of November,

Legislation is not envisaged

largely unaffected because

parents have a choice there, but local authority places are covered, as well as places in the

music and ballet scheme.
Corporal Punishment In Schools: A

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independent schools will be

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The department said yester-

Moves for limit on

annual entry

to Bar attacked

By Peter Evans, Home Affairs Corresponder

Moves to restrict recruitment ask tutors to give a can

week's New Law Journal. They

are seen as part of an attempt by

the Bar to maintain its hom-

ogeneity and to exclude non-

An article by Walter Mer-

ricks, a solicitor and journalist,

says that proposals are circulat-

ing among the senate of the Inns

of Court and the Bar. They

suggest an annual entry limit of

The practising Bar, it is said,

is capable of absorbing into

chambers no more than about

250 to 300 entrants a year.

Allowing for a drop-out rate of

50 per cent and overall target of

This year's limit on admissions to the Inns of Court

around 700 would-be entrants

are taking up pupilage.
The search is on for addition-

al filters on entry. One plan is to

600 is considered reasonable.

to the Bar are disclosed in this assessment of a person's charac-

Decision to give parents choice on the cane iticized as unworkable

By Lucy Hodges, Education Correspondent

ents are to be allowed to bt their children from al punishment in schools, cane will not be it was announced

Government's decision that two forms of line will operate within ne school and some rs fear that that will pig problems.

in was criticized by the al Union of Teachers. rest teachers' union, has 250,000 members. glas McAvoy, its deputy secretary, said that it 18 part of the Govern-

privatization plan. We age the mass sale of 'I Be Beaten' badges" Tom Scott, of the Society chers Opposed to Physi-mishment, said that the would be unworkable. rganization would urge s to exempt their chil-

Scott said he would an to Strasbourg in of the deliberate defiance British Government of European Court ruling had already been delayed

Peter Dawson, general ry of the Professional .000 members said: "It is kable to have two differ- appropriate ciplinary systems operat-

Mr David Hart, general Wales is ruled out on the secretary of the National As- ground that many parents and sociation of Head Teachers, said that he was disappointed and dismayed. He felt that the European Court of Human Rights would soon rule against the practice altogether.

The National Association of Teachers Union of Women Teachers said the fact and non corporal punishemt that not all children could be beaten would create problems. The new policy is designed to

meet last year's judgment by the European Court of Human which parents could opt out of Rights which said that children corporal punishment for their children leaving the initiative who coposed it. convictions.

A document published yes-terday by the Department of Education and Science, to coincide with a parliamentary question to Sir Kieth Joseph, the Secretary of State for Education and Science, says that there will be consultations on implementation, but not about the decision.

Sir Keith said in a Commons written reply that he believed parents would exercise their right to opt out "responsibly".
"We are concerned to allow schools the maximum freedom. consistent with such a right of exemption, to employ for the maintenance of discipline such ation of Teachers, which sanctions, including corporal punishment, as they judge to be

The abolition of corporal

husband's gun gift to kill him

Wife used

A woman described by a former Queen's equerry as very warm, friendly and welcoming" was jailed for two years yesterday for killing her husband with a shotzun be had given her as a Christmas

Mrs Jennifer Davis, aged 44, denied murder but admitted the manslaughter, on the ensibility, of her husband Christopher, aged 40, a former captain in the Glonce

She shot him in the study of their five-bedroom country house at Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire, after a row over some missing sherry.
Mr Justice Brown, at
Bristol Crown Court, said he

accepted that Mrs Davis was of the highest character but added: "The court has to bear in mind that what you did was an act of appalling violence." Character evidence was given by Sir Ian Heathcote-Amory, a former Equerry to the Queen and Deputy Lieutenant of Devon, and Mr Raymond Etherington-Smith, former ambassdor to Vietnam and the Sudan.

Sir lan described Mrs Davis as "a highly respected person, a refined person, devoted to her family".

The court was told that Mrs Davis had married for the second time in 1971. Her new nusband was still a serving officer, who became an estate

Mr David Webster, for the prosecution, said Mrs Davis was determined to make her second marriage a success.

But she had told a friend:

"He told me he had another woman." She had also told a friend that her husband wanted to leave her but she did not want to let him go and that three months before the killing her husband had begun to be curt with her.



When her husband replied curity to her she asked why he was being so sarcastic and he replied: "I am giving you some of your own medicine."

After the friends left Mrs Davis followed her busband into his study. Mr George Carman, QC, for Mrs Davis, said her husband gave her "a look full of hatred which spelt

Mrs Davis, the mother of two children from each of her marriages, left the room and returned with a shotgun.



company was cleared yesterday of blame for the death of Mr Brian Stocks, the head keeper who was mauled by a Siberian tigress in 1980. The judge directed the jury at Canterbury Crown Court to acquit the company, Howletts

and Port Lympne Estates, of failing to protect Mr Stocks in his job. However, the company still faces a Health and Safety Executive summons over the death five weeks later of Mr Robert Wilson, a second keeper killed by the same animal.

Zoo cleared on one count ous" to proceed with the prosecution's allegation that Mr Stocks was allowed to enter the tigress's enclosure at Howletts' zoo, in Kent, alone, contrary to safety regulations, Judge Rooke. Evidence had raised the

ter and suitability for practice. Questions might include in-

quires about how well the

candidate is able to mix with

financial backgrounds.

others from different social and

Until recently, the Bar main-tained an open entry policy

allowing the marker to decide

who should succeed or fail. No

barriers were placed in the way

of anyone wishing to qualify, as

Mr Merrick, says there is

a barrister provided he or she

growing concern in legal edu-

cation circles at the plans.

"What is now feared is that the

Bar could become an even more

closed and inward-looking pro-

fession than at present; that for

those with the wrong back-

ground, the wrong accents, the

wrong face, the wrong attitudes,

becoming a barrister will be well-nigh impossible."

could pass the examination.

possibility that the tigress, Zeya. might have leapt a fence But he told the jury not to let his direction influence them over the allegations that Mr Wilson died because the 10ft 2in fance was too low for safety. The hearing continues today.

Writs dropped

The Church of Scientology has discontinued six libel actions it started against the Metropolitan Police Commissioner over a 1968 report about its organization which was sent to other police forces.

Rolls jobs go

Another 170 jobs are to go at the Rolls-Royce diesel engine factory at Shrewsbury, it was announced yesterday. The redundancies are blamed on falling orders, particularly from

ublic schools urged o open their doors

From Our Education Correspondent, Nottingham

tham Ladies' College, irged yesterday to open assrooms and dormitorthe handicapped, ethnic ties and adults, particu-.e unemployed.

call, from Mr Tim director of the Indepen-Schools Information was accompanied by a nendation that indepenhools should not receive cent rate rebate, unless bulk prove they had the community.

Association of **4 co-operation**.

and there would be an on crisis in the 1990s to fewer resources and woils and the two sides have to get together. He between those fee-paying i which wanted to help meminity and the local ion authorities.

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pendent schools, such as remain completely independent Winchester. Roedean and should get neither tax relief nor

> The Government shold introduce a new boarding and handicapped bursary scheme rather than extend the assisted places scheme, whereby bright children from poor homes can go to independent schools.

His concordat proposes that education authorities pay for places at independent schools where the state system is not ble status, including the able to meet the special needs of some pupils, such as blacks and

the handicapped. Mr Devlin was worried by Devlin's speech, at the the growing tensions between gham conference of the private and state schools. Mr Donald Frith, general

rs', is likely to annoy secretary of the Headmasters' independent school head Conference, which numbers 2. His concern was about most of the leading public polymers the state and schools among its 210 members, said yesterday that independent schools could have difficulty in catering for nonchildren (David Nicholson-Lord writes),

"If you have a school which is entirely geared to coping with bright children and enabling them to achieve high standards, and you begin to open up wings to a quite different kind of child, it is going to cause problems both in staffing and accommodation", he said.

Tap water 'better than bottled'

The controversy surrounding bottled and tap water bubbled up again yesterday with a public analyst's report that the quality of the packaged mineral variety was not as good as the processed product from the waterworks (Our Science Editor writes).

This conclusion was presented to Woodspring District Council at Weston-super-Mare in a report from the Avon public analyst's labora-

Fifteen popular brands of natural water had been exam-

Tests showed the concentration of microscopic organ-isms was generally higher for mineral water than for the domestic supply.

The tests show only the level of micro organisms, not confirm results published last year by Which? Those showed nothing would be found in mineral

water that would not be found in tap water. Dr Who actor to quit series



Peter Davidson, aged has decided to give up his role as Doctor Who when he finishes recording the present BBC series due for transmission in January. He is the fifth doctor, and took over the role nearly two years ago from

Crash sentence

James Costello, aged 25, a salesman of Hollyhill Road, Erith, Kent, who killed his best friend in a driving accident, was saved from prison at the Central Criminal Court yesterday because the victim's family had forgiven him. Costello was

Toy warning

Some toy snakes imported from Taiwan contain water which tests have proved to be contaminated. Mr John Harrison, the Essex consumer and public protection officer, says. social services inquiry on baby's death

spute over rivate use **f** scanner

alth chiefs denied yesterhat private patients were g up to £200 a time to new Lim cancer scanner e machine at Broomfield ital. Chelmsford. Essex. Micially opened by Prin-Anne yesterday and an massing dispute was ed when senior officials that cash from private ms could be used to benefit mai Health Service users. "queue jumping argument at on the eve of the visit : Mrs Rita Bennett, a fund that NHS BU could use the machine

Bennett, who raised 00) to help to buy and the scanner said: "I did spend four long years ing on this so that private his with cash in their a could jump the queue for

rs Bennett, one of a large orr of voluntary helpers organized fund raising to pay for the machine. fumed that money raised

Young girls seeking jobs as nannes were told by a judge at the Central Criminal Court Judge Lipfirend said: "It ated that young girls who advertise in quite respectable magazines can be waylaid and mistreated in the manner of the young girl in this case."

He had pleaded not guilty.

The judge said: "I would be failing in my duty if I did not sentence you to a substantial term to deter others like you."

and the Caribbean.

Beware of sex traps, nannies told

p the queue" for treatment I vesterday to beware of sex traps. should be more widely appreci-

> Michael Mohammed, aged 38, builder, of East Barnet Road, New Barnet, was jailed for four years for two sex assaults on a nanny, aged 19.

Mr David Owen-Jones, for the prosecution, said the girl advertised in The Lady. Mohammed promised that if she "got the job working for his ordered to do 200 sister" she would go to Miami community service.

The girl said that she was taken to Heathrow airport to "hiring-out" the scanner heard, he booked her into an hotel and committed sexual

meet Mohammed's sister. He insisted she had wine and

Veifare authoritiess are to sire lato the death of a girl, d 15 months, killed by her her, it was said at Wisster Crown Court yester. The girl, her younger ther and older sister, had been placed on a non-accistal injury register by social

vices. Mr Justice Davies said that he girl had been taken from mother she would probby be all we now. He miked if y inquiry had been under out decisions taken by the line services. "In a case this great public concern fell as to whether there has

Mr Stephen O'Malley, for e prosecution, said an quiry had been opened but until the outcome of thecase was kaown. Mrs Christine Mitchell.

aged 27, of Howe Road, Gosport, Hampshire, admitted the manslaughter of her daughter, Emma. She was sentenced to 18 months' Imprisonment with 12 months of the sentence suspended for

two years. Mr O'Malley said Mrs Mitchell had three children aged three years, 15 months and three months. She first married in 1975 and when her first daughter was born Brad-ford Social Services had been concerned over the way the child was looked after.

In November, 1980, she married a Royal Navy sailor and lived in married quarters

Mrs Mitchell became pregnant again and the family moved to married quarters in Gosport, where social services visited the family and all three children were put on a nonaccidental injury register.

On November 20 last year Mrs Mitchell knocked on a neighbour's door and said Emma had fallen downstairs. The child was limp and blue and attempts at resuscitation

Bruising was seen on the child's face and forehead and there were two fractures of the skull. Later Mrs Mitchell edmitted she had thrown the child down in annoyance. Her other children had been

taken into care by Hampshire

County Council and were to be made wards of court.

INDEX-LINKED NATIONAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES AND INDEX-LINKED SAYE

Mr Christopher Davis

SUPPLEMENT FOR 1983-1984

A new supplement of 2.4% per annum on top of index linking has been announced for Index-Linked National Savings Certificates and Index-Linked SAYE held in 1983-1984. This is in addition to the 2.4% supplement for 1982-1983 and follows the same pattern.

National Savings Certificates

The new supplement will be earned if the Certificates are held for the whole year until 1 November 1984. It will be calculated on the indexlinked value at 31 October 1983.

Thisvalue includes the current supplement accruing on 1 November 1983.

Index-linked SAYE

The 2.4% supplement payable for 1983-84

can be earned on similar terms to the supplement accruing on 1 December 1983 for the year 1982-83. Holders will be sent details individually.

No supplements are earned if you cash in early.





Geoffrey Smith

Mr Foot made his last appearance at Question Time yesterday as Leader of the Opposition. He bowed out quietly, and must have wished that the final meeting of the parliamentary Labour Party under his leadership had been equally unremarkable last week. Yet that occasion will be remembered not for the expression of any brotherly sentiments, but for the fracus between him and

Hattersley. How important was that row for the future of the party? Now that the dust has cleared a bit, can it be seen, together with the reaction to Mr Hattersley's forthright manifesto, to have wrecked the prospects for the supposedly "dream ticket" of Kinnock and Hattersley? There are really two questions involved here. Has the episode destroyed Mr Hattersley's chances of being elected deputy leader? And has it now become impossible to imagine the two men working together if he is

The quarrel with Mr Foot was an indication of a deeper resentment in the Hatterslev camp. Among Mr Hattersley's supporters it is believed that one reason Mr Kinnock appears to be cruising to victory is that he has Mr Foot's backing. The Hattersley-Foot exchanges can be seen therefore as an indirect expression of the tension that exists between the Hattersley and Kinnock camps. A number of Mr Kinnock's supporters also strongly disapproved of the Hattersley manifesto.

Mr Hattersley's chances of the deputy leadership depend critically on the support of several people, and especially unions, who intend to vote for Mr Kinnock as leader. If that support was withheld, Mr Hattersley's prospects of becoming deputy leader would be gravely diminished. But I see no evidence of that happening at the moment.

Tension between the two camps

Mr Kinnock is declining to the various candidates for deputy. That is an entirely justifiable position for a potential leader. It is even wise, provided one can assume that he does not really mean it. As leader Mr Kinnock will need Mr Hattersley as his deputy if he is to stand any chance of convincing the electorate that Labour is a sufficency broad-based party to be entrusted again with government. That is why, unless something else happens, l expect Mr Hattersley to be elected deputy leader.

But will the two men then be able to work with each other? It is anwise to underestimate the capacity of ambitious men to cooperate when it is in their interest to do so. One should not be prissy about this. Public life depends on those who have exchanged hard blows then being able to do business with each other. I do not believe that the blows so far exchanged. directly of indirectly, between Mr Kinnock and Mr Hattersley in the course of the leadership campain have made it imposs ible, or even particularly difficult, for them to work with each

Vice-President Bush said worse things about President Reagan when they were scrabbling for the Rupublican nomination in 1980.

My doubts about the "dream ticket" are of a different nature. How easily can the objectives of the two men be reconciled once the contest for power between them is over? They will both want to achieve a Labour victory. But by the same route, with the same policies?

At Penrith on Tuesday I asked Mr Kinnock what he would feel as leader about his deputy campaigning within the party for the retention of American nuclear bases in this country when it was party policy to get rid of them. Mr Kinnock sidestepped the question - drawing a delicious distinction in the process between a side-step and an evasion, to which he implied only a low and cunning politician would have recourse.

It was understandable that Mr Kinnock should demonstrate his accomplishment in the art of side-stepping on that occasion. But he will have to confront the question sometime. Mr Hattersley has committed himself to certain key policies that are not yet accepted by Mr Kinnock. Mr Hattersley cannot now discard those commitments without forfeiting all public respect. But will Mr Kinnock be willing or able to compromise sufficiently to work in harness with a man who continues to abide by the Hattersley mani-

British company wins contract for new RAF missile

DEFENCE

benches greeted the announcement negotiations, we shall place an order in the Commons by Mr Michael for the development and procduc-Heseltine, Secretary of State for tion of ALARM with British Defence, that a new RAF Missile. Acrospace Dynamics Group. would be produced by a British

Company which had won the at British Aerospace Dynamics' contract against an American factories at Hatfield, Stevenage and developed missale which would Bracknell in the near term and at Instick near Holton, in the later have been produced partly in this country or supplied direct by the

decision on a new defence seeker head, with consequential suppression weapon for the RAF, ment has been examining options for a missile to meet the future military missile requirements of the Royal Air Forms will thus be maintained and will thus a seeker bead, with consequential suppression weapon for the RAF. for a missile to meet the requirements of the Royal Air Force for a defence suppression weapon to arm Tornado GR I aircraft.

The choice has been between the new British Aerospace Air Laun-ched Anti-Radar missile, ALARM, and the American developed High and the American developed riight Space and Defence Systems.

Space and Defence Systems.

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Ms Oonagh McDonald, an Opposition spokesman on defence supplied direct by the United States. (Thurrock, Lab): I welcome the This has not been an easy Government decision to choose the ALARM project rather than the

An order would be laid before

Parliament today extending to foreign vessels the arrangements

which currently apply to British pelagic vessels trans-shipping their catch to Klondykers within Britain's fishery limits. Mr Michael Jopling.

Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries

and Food, announced in the

in a statement on the meeting

ofhe EEC Council of Fisheries Ministers in Brussels on July 25 and

26 he said he greatly regretted that it

proved impossible to settle other

proposed arrangements on struc-

tures, in the absence of agreement

on the allocation of quotas for

herring quotas would be discussed

further by officials before the next

meeting of the Council on October

refused to confirm the Comm-unity's fishing agreement with

Norway. But the Council did agree,

by a qualified majority, to permit

the Norwegians to extend their interim fishing for North Sea herring to two-thirds of their proposed allocation of 31,000

I voted against this proposal. The considerations were finely balanced.

I attach great importance to our fishing relations with Norway and

would certainly not wish in any way

tages for our fishing fleet in the maintenance of the agreement with

Norway, but I nevertheless conclud-

ed that I should not support an

agreement which permitted Norwe

eian fishermen to fish for North Sea

Mr Norman Buchen, chief Oppo-

sition spokesman on agriculture and

did not support it, but he did not

use the veto. Some kind of

one million tonnes of herring in the North Sea. It was industrial over-

which slaughtered the stocks. We

in the mid-1960s we were fishing

North Sea. It was industrial over-fishing particularly by the Danes, side to this argument.

lishermen were not able to do so.

when United Kingdom

to harm them.

The Council (he went on) also

The methods of determining

North Sea herring.

parts of the package, including the

FISHERIES

Ministers fail to agree

on North Sea herring

I am able to tell the House that we Loud cheers from the Government here here decided that, subject to satisfactory completion of contract

Lostock, near Bolton, in the later part of the decade. Marconi Space and Defence Systems will be a Announcing the Government's major sub-contractor for the missile

> future military missile requirements will thus be maintained and advanced in this country. At its peak the order is expected to sustain over 3,000 jobs in the United Kingdom companies concerned, of which about half will be with British Aerospace Dynamics and Marconi Space and Defence Systems.

This has not been an easy Government decision to choose the decision. There has been a wide ALARM project rather than the range of complex factors to weigh HARM project as it is supported by including operational performance, the Confederated Shipbuilding and technical merit, technological pro
Engineering Union as well as British

Will he go back to the negotiating table and this time take the veto with him and use it? I do not

coming to the agreement in January

Mr Jopling: I could have helped to

therefore not clear-cut.

the use of the Luxembourg

not like to see Norwegian fishermen

There are two sides to this. I do



Heseltine: Balanced decision

industry. Their members will be involved in the development and production of that particular project so their support and commitment to the project is important. We are also glad to see an entirely

defensive weapon being developed Will the Ministry of Defence consider the needs of British industry and give preference to British technology in other projects under consideration such as the under P146?

Was this at the beginning a fixed price contract with penalty clauses for late delivery? If so, does this mean the Ministry of Defence will go for fixed price contracts? Mr Heseltines I do not take the

rather insular view of the United States technology that she does. We have a great deal to gain from the North Atlantic Alliance and there will be many cases where we shall buy United States technology and I shall also be doing all I can to persuade them to buy British as

well.
Of my budger, 95 per cent is spent
in British industry



McDonald: Is it fixed price I am in favour of fixed price

contracts where they can be rationally entered into. Mr Robert Atkins (South Ribble, C): This decision was a difficult one to take and he has made the right one. This is a tribute to British industry which has won an important contract with enormous export potential which will benefit

Mr Heseltine: This was a difficult complex and balanced decision but I believe the Government has taken

those who work in the industry as

well as the sub-conte

Mr Russell Johnston (Incruess, Nairn and Lochaber, L): How important are the employmen consequences and in the case of the ordering of the airbus for Britis Airways, why is the Governmentaking a different line there? Mr Heseltine: The employment

position is fairly consequential upon the announcement I made, that was not a decisive element of the argument. There were other ingredi-ents which had to be balanced

some of the corporation's major

However, some parts of RS are

profitable. The Government re-

mains firmly committed to privatiz-

ing those activities as soon as

The support that BS has had from

Government hoping to extend aid to state yards

SHIPBUILDING

particularly blame the Norwegians, except for over-fishing, but most of all I blame this Government for The Government is to have urgent talks with the European Commission to try and secure approval without having settled these basic for an increased rate of intervention fund support for British Ship builders. in the present depressed market

get an agreement on herring, but there was never anything this week on offer in Brussels which would situation, the current rate of Intervention Fund support was not sufficient to secure orders for BS. have been satisfactory for our Mr Norman Lamont, Minister of State for Trade and Industry, said in If he is saying that I ought to have State for Trade and Indi-nade an agreement just for the sake a Commons statement. The increased rate of support

of making one, that would not have been at all in the interests of British sought by the Government would be fishermen. On the use of the veto, it was a said. Present intervention fund ne judgment since any breakdown and the Government have applie in fishing relations with Norway to the Commission for approval to could have had implications for could have had implications for an interim extension to October 31.

Norwegian waters. The issue was in 1982 (he said) world new regian waters. The issue was took the lowest level of new orders There was certainly no vital

national interest I could have that it has ever recorded. claimed which would have justified Nonetheless, the very Nonetheless, the very poor results that BS announced yesterday reflect not the current lack of orders, but losses incurred on orders in earlier

years.
Of the £117m trading loss announced yesterday, a substantial amount, £9.4m, is attributable to This is a very disappointing set of results. The four individual con-

the Government comes to it at the expence of other industries. BS must nderstand that it is operating in a fiecely competitive market, and that it cannot be insulated from this.

The performance of BS, as revealed by its very poor results for 1982/83, has got to improve if the

Corporation is to survive. Mr Stanley Orme, chief Opposition spokesman on industry: British Shipbuilders is facing a scrious situation, in fact a crisis. The workers in BS are not to blame for the recession facing the industry throughout the world. To save BS

and for Britain to survive as a major maritime nation, direct government intervention is needed. The intervention fund and further measures Mr Lamont is going to raise with the EEC are unsuitable and inflexible and will

Mr Lamont I did not say the workers were to blame. This Government has supported BS massively. We have given nearly £780m worth of support to BS since 1979. That is substantial support

tracts on which particularly large losses have been made during 1982which has to come from taxpayer and other industries.

not do the job.

The Code of Local Government Audit Practice for England and Wales set out the general duties of an auditor and outlined the three main features which should characterize his work - independence, due professional care and recognition of the public interest, Mr William Waldegrave, Under Secretary of State for the Environment, said in

the Commons when moving that in order to diminish anxieties expressed, he said, the Government had teadily agreed the practices should be subject to parliamentary approval and this debate was to honour that commitment.

The auditor should consider whether the taxpavers' and rate-

Rules for council auditors payers' money was spent in a way that provided value for money. It was not part of his role to question

> There had been anxiety about a potential conflict of interests if the auditor undertook consultancy work on behalf of the same authority and the code took a clear stance on this.

the local authority's policies

The Audit Commission was determined that the auditor's independence must prevail over any Other considerations The auditor could not criticize

folish if they did it with their eyes open. He could only show how the council's objectives could be almost

Central America is important to Britain

PM'S QUESTIONS

The importance of the situation in Central America to Britain was emphasised by Mrs Margaret Thatcher, the Prime Minister, during questions in the Commons.

Mr Alfred Dubs (Battersea, Lab) asked: Can she explain what is the basis of military cooperation between British forces and the American forces in Central

What recent requests has she had for help and will she give an assurance that there will be no British help or support for any United States military intervention in any Central American country. Mrs Thatcher: I know of no specific requests for help. Our forces are of course in Belize and what happens in the rest of Central America is

very important of Belize which is a bastion of democracy in that area and it is important that it remains.
It is also important to us what
happens in the Caribbean where we
have at least one ship and therefore what the United States is doing to the United States is doing to the total the United States is doing to Central America . . . (protests) — Perhaps Labour MPs will remember there were elections in El Salvador against great intimidation . . . not only to Central America and the Caribbean harming the interest of the caribbean control of the caribbean services and the Caribbean caribbean and the caribbean carib but in the interests of this country as

Mr Michael Foot, Leader of the Opposition: In the light of her reply should she not reconsider what she has said. Has there been any request to the President of the United States in the last two days about the intentions of the Americans in this

When she talks of protecting people against aggression, of course we agree that Belize must be protected against any form of aggression, but have not the people in Nicaragua got the same rights as the people in Belize to be protected against aggression? Do they not have the same rights to be protected against aggression as the people in the Falkland Islands?

Should not the British Govern-ment be seeking to uphold the charter of the United Nations in

services should stay at their post and not go on strike. Mrs Margaret

Thatcher, the Prime Minuster said

If the Government received

representations from any other

union about a no-strike agreement,

following the announcement yester-

day of an independent pay review

body for nurses which excluded workers who went on strike, it would consider such requests.

The subject was introduced by Dr

David Owen, Leader of the SDP, (Plymouth Devonport) who said:

There was a very important there was a very important statement yesterday about the national health service. Can she explain to the House why over one

million people who work in the

NHS are not to be offered the

opportunity of negotiating 2 no-strike agreement in exchange for a

fair method of assessing their pay so

If this issue was put to a ballot of

service, a vast majority of them would support it and thereby the

health services would not have the

disruption they suffered from

Mrs Thatcher: We are most

anxious that there should not be

industrial action in the health service. I have been firm in

condemning all such action.

With regard to the review body.

the Secretary of State for Social Services in November last year

when we were discussing this review body which the nurses had asked for

some time ago, made this point: The new review body recognizes a

special position for nurses and other

professional groups who do not take industrial action and on whom we

have relied heavily in the last six months and the fact that the groups

seriously in the last few years.

they should not fall behind?

during question time.

throughout the world? Mrs Thatcher: I do not know who he is suggesting should go to Nicaragua actually to protect the people there, but I have not the slightest shadow of doubt that he along with many other people saw what happened to the Pope who went to Nicaragua and tried to The Commons, which met to hear the Queen's Speech on Wednesday, June 22, rise-

speech and to preach.

President Reagan said in his press conference the planned United States naval and military excercises in Central America were to be seen in the context of the basic United States policy aims set out in his Congressional address on April 27. Which of those aims does Mr Foot disagree with?

demonstrate his right to freedom of

Mr Foot: I agree with the aims but I want to see they are carried out so would she now tell us: Does she not agree that Nicaragua has exactly the same rights of protection against aggression as Belize? Will she uphold that right in the United Nations, otherwise she will be guilty of hypocrasy and of encouraging Mrs Thatcher: The people of

Nicaragua have the right to choose their own government. That is exactly what the United Scates was trying to secure in El Salvador. It is the first of the points of President Reagan's policies, the first of four points, I asked Mr Foot which he disagreed with: the first one? "In response to decades of inequity and indifference we will support demochir Foot: Is she trying to claim in DEV. reform and human human rights are upheld in El Salvador? Will the British govern-ment exercise its duties at the UN to try and prevent aggression in Central America as we have the right and duty to do everywhere els

Mrs Thatcher: Yes, and the British government will try to secure self-determination and will uphold efforts to try to secure democracy throughout Central America.

There is not the slightest shadow of doubt about the number of

Communists in Central America. If they ever get Communism in the area they will never get rid of it.

now been adequately recognized.

Should unions come to us and say

that they wish to have that kind of

agreement, we would of course consider it. No such union, other than the Royal College of Nursing.

has ever approached us, nor have other unions received the review

Mr Andrew MacKay (East Ber-kshire, C): Has she noticed that in

addition to the Royal College of

Nursing strongly supporting the Government's decision in setting up

this independent review body with a no-strike clause, the overwhelming

Mrs Thatcher I think we owe

great deal to the nurses who, at a

time of great difficulty, when other groups in the NHS were taking

industrial action, stayed at their

posts attending to the sick and often

carried out the duties of others who

Mr David Price (Eastleigh, C); The

dent review body for nurses and

other professional people is very widely welcomed, but will she

extend the principle of generous pay agreements for those who enter into

no-strike agreements further than

the NHS and into the caring

services generally, which I think

wide majority of the public would

Mrs Thatcher: We have had no

representations to that effect. People

ought to stay at their posts wher they are dealing with essential

services in any event and not exact a very large charge for it.

creation yesterday of an indepen

were on sirike.

support?

hody for nurses with acclamation.

Anyone who worked in the essential did not take industrial action has

Mauritar in co No-strike deal offer to health service unions

The three votes on pay have resulted in MPs obtaining a salary increase from £14,510 to £18,500 spread over five years. This compromise formula. which the Cabinet had agreed to before the debate, was carried by five votes. It consists of an immediate increase in salary of £798 backdated to June 13 plas four equal instalments between next January I and January I.

Two issues

decided

for this

Parliament

By Alan Wood and

Barbara Day

today for its summer recess, which will last until October 24,

The House of Lords left for its

recess at the end of its sitting on

During these five-and-a-half

weeks there have been two

important series of votes by

NIPs – or capital punishmeni

and MPs' pay - and set out on Page 5 are details of how the

650 MPs cast, or did not cast,

their votes in nine divisions on

it was widely believed at

Westminster that the votes on

capital punishment became such

early business in the new

Parliament in order to forestall

any call for the reintroduction of

the death penalty by the Conservative Party conference in October. The decisive majori-

ties in the Commons against

reintroduction of the death

penalty have, in effect, vetoed

any Tory rank-and-file moves to

There were five divisions

calling upon the House to restore the death penalty for

various categories of murder.

followed by a sixth division for

the general restoration of the

VOTING DETAILS

Death penalty for For Age

death penalty for murder.

these two controversial issues.

Wednesday.

The immediate rise represents an increase of 5.5 per cent, compared with the 4 per cent gross, or 1.7 per cent after higher pension contributions, which the Government had originally proposed, and to which MPs had taken strong

number of patients in this country consider that as we are living in a civilized society it is an absolute obscenity that many patients' lives should be put at risk due to industrial action in the NHS. The Commons carried by eight votes, against Government advice, a Conservative backbeach proposal linking MPs on Jappary 1, 1988 with that of a civil servant now earning £18,500. It was pointed out by Mr John Biffen, Leader of the House, that this could involve another large increase for MPs in close proximity to a

general election. Many Labour MPs wanted to have the full Plowden recommendation of a 31 per cent increase in pay implemented but were unable to have a vote upon it because the main question, implementing the compromise formula and pay linkage, was carried by 21 votes.

The formal motion to implement the pay increases was approved this week by 250 votes

VOTING DETAILS

Pay proposal For Aget Mej Str Hugh Fraser's 225 218 8 amendment to link salery from Jan 1, 1988 to that of a, olivi servant being civil servant being paid £18,500 on June 13, 1983 (instead of Jan 1, 1987). Carri s 231 226

Mr du proposala proposals increas-ing pay to £18,500 over five years,

one we state the years, incorporating principle of trickge for first time, as changed by Fraser amendment.

Main vote on pay 237 216 21 ratifying two previous decisions. The division numbers given

here correspond to those on the chart on Page 5, setting out how Hansard, the Official Report of the House of immons, recorded the votes of MPs on both issues.

Big exercise for troops

Lionheart 84, the biggest peacetime exercise involving British armed forces since the Second World War, will take place next year. Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence, told the Commons

About 100,000 full and parttime troops will take part, half 👵 🔆 of whom will be transported to Germany for a two-week com-

European Assembly

In yesterday's report of the proposed new boundaries for the European Assembly elections, the following constitu- 4 encies should have been listed: 1 London North-East (518,115). Newham North West, Newham South. Walthamstow, London East (543,906). Barking, Dagertham, Hornchurch, Ilford North; Ilford South

who honoured the principle of Norwegians fishing for herring in-conservation have had to pick up this part of the North Sea they would have taken retailatory action. No ban on fox hunting

Jopling: The issue was not

clear-cut

fishing for herring in the northern

and middle part of the North Sea. That is why I voted against them

has been allowed it is worth

If we had continued to stop the

AGRICULTURE

opposition that is

The Government believed it was for the individual to decide whether or not to hunt and therefore it had no plans to ban field sports, Mrs Peggy Fenner, Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, said during question time in the Commons. In answer to a question by Mr

Robert Atkins (South Ribble, C) about advice from the Department on the control of vermin, particularly foxes, she said: My Department recommend those methods that are most effective, economic and appropriate in the particular

circumstances. Mr Atkins: Does she agree that the instances of stock loss in the north west, caused above all by foxes, requires firm control and in view of the decision by the Lancashire County Council, Labour controlled, seeking to prevent hunting with dogs on all tenanted land, this will make the control of such vermin increasingly difficult for farmers to the long-term detriment of the

loss and I carnestly advise the occupiers concerned to seek urgent advice from the local ministry field sports.

I am advised that the action taken by the county council to which he refers does not extend to persons

control.
Mr Ioan Evans (Cynon Valley, Lab): Where fox hunting takes place there is more damage done to crops than is caused by foxes. Should not her department and the Home Office do research to bring up to date the Cruelty to Animals Act which goes back to 1876?

Mrs Fenner: The Government Mrs Femer: I share his concern believe people should be allowed to about increasing instances of stock decide for themselves whether or not to hunt and for this reason have no plans for legislation to ban

practicing essential agricultural pest

ULSTER

There were no constitutional implications in the proposal to set up the Anglo-Irish Encounter body to organize periodic conferences and seminars. Mr Raymond Whitney. Under Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Aff-airs, assured MPs in a Commons

Pointing out that the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland governments had agreed to support the establishment of the body, he added: We believe it will have a useful role to play in fostering

contacts between the peoples of the two countries.

Mr Ivor Strabrook (Orpington, C):
Any institution which enables one

New forum has no constitutional role

improved relations between the two countries is to be welcomed, can the minister give an assurance that in recognized by the Government and spite of the protests from Unionist there can be no question that this MPs there will be negotiations with body would raise the danger of any Dublin to find a settlement for the MPs there will be negotiations with Dublin to find a settlement for the continuing tragedy of Northern

Mr Whitney. I hope he is not sition spokesman on Northern reading too much into this proposal lreland (Mansfield, Lab): The which is strictly to foster contacts official Opposition welcomes this between the people of the two move and welcomes the between the people of the two move and welcomes the between Dublin and countries and has no constitutional

Mr David Winnick (Walsall North, Lab): Now that the Government's affairs of a part of another will sulking with Dublin is over and strongly resisted in this House, party to interfere in the internal affairs of a part of another will be

mind.

move and welcomes the better relationship between Dublin and London taking place.

Britain's crumbling motorways: 2

Age of the butterfly, not the bypass revenue. Britain is similarly parsi- Third, and in similar vein, there gone years of neglect as the natives

Many of Britain's busiest roads will be choked with traffic yet again this weekend, vital repairs adding to the problems created by a national network that simply cannot cope. MICHAEL BAILY, Transport Editor, looks at the reasons why our roads system is so

If Britian is suffering from hardening of its roads arteries there seem to be three main factors.

The first is the reluctance of successive governments to expand public investment in track proportionately to private investment in vehicles. Between 1971 and 1981 the money spent on buying and using cars, buses, lorries, taxis, motor-cycles and bicyles rose from £9.375m to £42.010m - 348 per cent. Over the same period government spending on building, maintaining, and operating roads rose from £779m to £2,603 - 234 per cent. Indeed, Britain's spending on roads per capita compares badly with West Germany, France, the United States, Holland and Bel-

In terms of road taxation and expenditure as a percentage of state roads.

monious (see table).

motorways have been abandoned suitable for rail transport.

opposed many new roads, urban and rural, France and West Germany built them.

Objections to the proposed Oxford to Birmingham M40, for instance, include its disturbance of an area of natural beauty and a butterfly reserve. In the early 1970s, London killed off its ring road programme by

voting in Labour on a "homes before roads" platform. With occasional exceptions, public sentiment tends to support those who champion the butterfly reserve rather than advocates of

Road cuts are an easy way for sentiment: a feeling that roads are tracks. Chancellors to make savings, by bad and rail is good; instead of simply cancelling or postponing building roads, we should get traffic projects. There have been more "back on the trains" - although than 20 such cuts in the past most of it, as British Rail admits, decade: more than 200 km of was never on the rail and is not As the accompanying map

A second reason is the strength of shows, Britain had a fine trunk road Britain's anti-road lobby. In the network nearly 2,000 years before 1970s, while environmental groups railways, built by the Romans to high standards: deep foundations, wide enough for two-way traffic flow, surfaced with smooth stone siabs

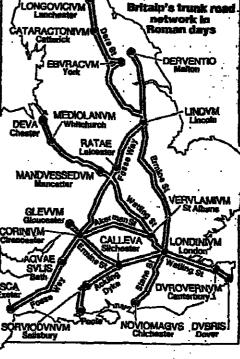
They were in heavy use for 400 years, but after the Romans had

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What of the future? In some respects it must get worse as heavier lorries pound inadequate secondary roads and motorways continue to crumble. On a 20-year life Britain faces an upsurge in structural repairs from 1990, as nearly 1,000 km of motorways were built between 1970-75, compared with around 500 km in the five years on either side. (The rate has now dropped to little over 200).

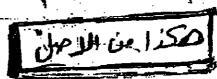
On the other hand, various curbs seem certain to restrict the biggest lorries to appropriate roads; and motorway design has been improv-ing, not only with stronger surfaces but more lanes (one lane under repair in a three-lane road is less serious than in a two-lane).

What seems certain is Britain's only road-building boom since the Romans is petering out. From now on it will be qualitative (structural strengthening improved landscaping better traffic control) rather than substantial additions



Tomorrow: In Saturday, the less crowded routes to the West Country, and how to avoid the M1 jams on the route North.

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How the ayes had it on hanging and pay

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Council of Churches warns Reagan

Vancouver (Reuter) - Some 200 Protestant Church leaders from the United States yesterday demanded the withdrawal of US forces from Central America and denounced the Reagan Administration's policy of closer ties with South Africa. The leaders, attending a meeting of the World Council

of Churches (WCC), have sent two messages to President We are alarmed and offend-

ed by the escalation of the US military engagement you have ordered in Central America one message said.

it called on the Administration to end "all overt or covert efforts to destabilise, or overthrow the legitimate Government of Nicaragua."

The message on South Africa described President Reagan's policies as destructive for blacks in that country and accused Washington of supplying arms to Pretoria through Israel, in violation of a UN embargo.

The group backed economic sanctions to isolate South Africa in the areas of trade, foreign bank loans and foreign investment. It comprised the American religious leaders and in-cluded WCC delegates and observers at the meeting. Signatories included Bishop James Armstrong of the United Methodist Church, the President of the National Council of Churches (NCC), and Mr Avery Post, president of the United Church of Christ, Mr Arie Brouwer, general secretary of the Reformed Church in America. and Mr James Andrews, of the Presbyterian Church (USA).

The NCC's 32 member

churches claim 35 million adherants and include most leading American Protestant leading American Protestant saving warships dispatched to Denominations with the exception of the Southern Baptist purely for military exercises. Convention and the Lutheran Church Missiouri Synod.

■ BRASILIA: M Claude criticized the dispatch of American warships to Central America, saying it did nothing to help bring peace to the region (Reuter reports).

Specking to reporters here, he criticized the dispatch of Ameri-

developing countries' economies ahead of arms spending and reiterated French support for the peace efforts of the Contadora Group – Colombia, Contadora Group – Colombia, adjacent room in the assembly members

Panama, Mexico and Venezuela. France backed a declaration issued by the group in Cancun. had made the remark. Mexico, last week calling for

The Polish Parliament (Sejm)

resterday capped the process of

lifting martial law by tightening

legislation to prevent Solidarity-

style opposition to the Govern-

ment. But, in response to

church pressure, the Parliament

dropped other amendments

that would have penalized those who spread false information

aimed at causing public unrest.

overwhelmingly yesterday give the Government the following

powers:

To imprison for up to three

years people who take part in

the activities of a non-registered

or banned trade union. This broadens the scope of the

legislation from those who

organize such a trade union to

To jail for up to three years

those who are found guilty of

organizing or leading an illegal

those who are its member.

The amendments approved

American states.

Russian 'arms pour into Nicaragua'

From Christopher The Washington

As US warships took up positions 100 miles off the Pacific coast of central America. the Pentagon said yesterday that about 12 Soviet-block cargo ships were heading for Nicaragua in a new surge of arms deliveries.

US intelligence agencies have reported the arrival of nine shiploads of military equipment in Nicaragua so far this year, which together with the new deliveries could represent a quadrupling of Soviet arms supplies over 1982.

The first of the 12 shipa supposedly heading for Corinto on Nicaragua's Pacific coast the 13.150-ton Aleksandr Ulyanov, a 460ft cargo ship named by President Reagan during his televised press conference this week - is expected to arrive tomorrow.

Pentagon officials said it passed through the Panama Canal on Tuesday and, like the other ships now en route, was believed to be carrying howit-zers, rockets, lorries, electronic gear and troop-carrying helicop-

ters. Deliveries so far this year were said to have included tanks, artillery, rockets, lorries, helicopters. electronic equipment and weapons systems.

Greece proposes **EEC** initiative

Greece proposed yesterday that the EEC should undertake a peace initiative in Central America, our Athens correspondent writes. This was announced by a Greek government spokesman who said Greece had acted in its capacity as the Community's president and in the context of its political cooperation. He said the proposal was contained in a message sent to the other nine govern-ments in which Greece expressed its concern for the situation in Central America

The success of President Reagan's Central America policy depends on convincing Americans that the Soviet in the region. Critics of US carrier-based aircraft strategy argue that the Soviet 16,500 officers and men. Union may now be stepping up arms deliveries in direct re-

after the recent develop-ments, including US military

manoevres.

ending covert US aid to Nicaraguan guerrillas opposing the left-wing Sandinasta regime.

A head-count in the house pointed to an extremely close vote on a Democratic-supported Bill to replace covert aid to guerrillas with overt or covert help to freindly governments to impede the flow of ilicit arms in the region.

There is no serious prospect that such a proposition would be approved by the Republicancontrolled Senate, and in any case President Reagan would use his veto if it did. The outcome of the house vote. however, could be critical in influencing immediate American strategy in Central America. The scale of US military manoeuvres to be held in the region in the next six months is

so great that the Department of Defence fears it does not have sufficient funds to pay for them The Navy, in particular, will be committing huge resources -Union is sharply increasing its 19 ships, including two aircraft military and personnel presence carriers and a battleship, 140 in the region. Critics of US carrier-based aircraft and

That is in addition to 4,000 military personnel who will be sponse to increased US involvement.

The political struggle for the
President's policy in the house
of Representatives last night
centred, in a hostile debate on

Stone denies attack role for patrolling warships

From Christopher The Washington

Tegucigalpa, Honduras (Reuler) - Mr Richard Stone, the US special envoy, has denied reports quoting him as - Mr Stone was quoted by Salvadorean reporters as telling members of the Constituent Assembly in San Salvador that Cheysson, the French Minister the 14 warships were not solely of External Relations, yesterday for defensive purposes but

Specking to reporters here, he wednesday night. "On the appealed to the Reagan Admin-contrary, the fleet is conducting istration to put the defence of its regular manageuvies in an its regular manoeuvres in an

> building. Assembly members did not confirm that Mr Stone

Mr Stone, sent by President negotiations between Central Reagan as the US representative

Warsaw power game

Poles tighten up penal laws



Mr Richard Stone: Simple dialogue wanted

to Central American peace efforts, met members of the Salvadorean Constituent Assembly. President Alvaro Magana of El Salvador and President Belisario Betaneur of Colombia while in El Salvador on Wednesday. He then flew to Honduras. His next destination was not known.

Stone said during his visit on

Wednesday to the Salvadorean Constituent Assembly that the United States was more con-cerned aout El Salvador than Afghanistan or Lebanon and that he wanted "a simple dialogue" with Salvadorean guerrillas without preconditions

(AFP and NYT report). He asked deputies for help "against the Communists and the Sandinistas" in Nicaragua. Mr Stone later said that

intiatives towards reaching an agreement with El Salvador's cft-wing guerrillas had not been exhausted and that he was seeking talks with them. He said nothing concrete had yet emerged from his recent meet-ings with leaders in the various Central American nations.

A senior Salvadorean Government official said it may be possible that the Colombian President passed on a message to Mr Stone from Señor Guillermo Ungd, a political leader of the Salvadorean isurgents. President Betancur met Senor Ungd in Panama on SAN SALVADOR: Mr Tucsday night, according to the government official.

One jump ahead: This sculpture at the top of Brooklyn's

Prison Ship Martyrs Monument of a man committing suicide has brought a flood of emergency calls to local police. Now the artist wants to move it - to the Brooklyn

Israeli-US talks

Pullback only first withdrawal stage

From Mohsin Ali, Washington

with the Reagan Administration of Lebanon. have indicated that the planned redeployment of Israeli troops declined public comment on the on more secure positions in Israeli ministers talks at least south Lebanon is a first stage in until they have met President the implementation of the May Reagan. Israeli-Lebanese agreement.

Dunne some 12 hours of talks over two days at the State Department Mr Yitzhak Shamir. the Israeli Foreign Minister, and Mr Moshe Arens, the Defence Minister have discussed problems connected to

the matter. Mr Shamir told reporters after talks with Mr George Shultz the secretary of State, on Wednesday evening that he had explained to him that in the Israeli concept, the partial pullback was "the first stage" of the implementation of the May agreement which calls for the total withdrawal of Israeli forces

from Lebanon. President Reagan, who was meeting Mr Shamir and Mr Arens yesterday, renewed his efforts to bring about a total withdrawal of all foreign forces from Lebanon.

Mr Shamir's comments seem to bring Israeli views close to the United States position. The Reagan Administration's basic objective is the full withdrawal of all foreign forces and that any partial withdrawal should not complicate the difficult tasks

Israeli minsters in talks here facing President Amin Gemayel American

> day also had talks with members of the Senate foreign relations committee.

Mr Arens, a former Ambassador in Washington, is due to hold further discussions with Mr Caspar Weinberger, the On Wednesday they were

reported to have discussed US military aid to Israel and Israel's request for assistance in building the new Lavi jet fighter-bomber.

At his press conference on Tuesday night. Mr Reagan said he hoped that if a partial Israeli withdrawal took place that "it will be recognized and admitted to be by the Israelis as one phase of their agreement (with Lebanon) to withdraw."

He added that if the Israelis pulled out in a phased with-drawal "it certainly will give us a better case for breaking the roadblock that has been established by Syria and pursuading them to keep their original promise that when others withdrew. withdraw.

Increase in Nigerian voters challenged

Lagos (Reuter) - More than several of the six parties million Nigerians will be campaigning for presidential, 65 million Nigerians will be eligible to vote in national and state elections starting on Commission officials said yes-

The figure, in registers released by the commission, represents a 34 per cent increase over the 48.6 million people registered for the 1979 elections when the military peacefully handed over power to a civilian government

National Assembly and state elections were complaining that the figures had been inflated. If they are accurate, in a

country that has not had an accepted census for 20 years, the to the generally accepted current estimate of 80-100 million. The biggest number of votes

will be available in the northern Kano state where 7.6 million people were registered, com-pared to 5.1 million in 1979.

boss shot | Angola dead in **Paris**

From Roger Beardwood Paris

At 5.30 yesterday morning a gunman wearing dark ciothes stepped out of the shadow of trees on a fashioushle Paris street and shot dead Gilbert Zemmour, aged 48, who had been walking his four poodles.

With Zemmour's death a crime family is virtually ex-tinguished. Three of his brothers have been killed, the last in Miami, Florida, in May this year. The only survivor, Andre, is variously reported to be looking after his business interests in the French Autilles or on holiday at his villa in Majorca.

The killing, a spokesman for the police anti-gang brigade said, "was a typical gangiand assassination - ruthless and efficient". According to a porter in a building next to Zem-mour's in the Avenue de Segur, in the expensive seventh arrondissement, the gunnan fired four or five shots from a large-calibre pistol or revolver, hitting Zemmour in the head three times. "Then he just vanished into the dawn."

Zemmour, slim, short-baired and handsome, was the youn-gest of the clan, which orig-mated in North Africa and moved to France in the 1950s after Algeria gained its inde-pendence. The brothers rapidly gained a footbold in prostigamen a toolnule in prost-tution and illegal gaming - and just as rapidly ran up against the estublished crime barons, dominated by the Union Corse and the Mafia.

Rowland, the eldest, was the first to go, gunned down in 1957 in a street just off the Champs Elysées. William was the next, mortally wounded in a shoot-out with the police in a Paris bar in 1975. Then it was Edgar's turn, in a shooting in Florida only two months ago.

Now André, 55, is the sole survivor of a family that for almost a quarter of a century battled both the police and rivals for power and riches in the Paris underworld. Even achieving a kind of dubious immortality by being portrayed in Alexandre Arcady's film, Le Grand Pardon as Les Parrains (modes thanked) (godfathers) of French crime.

The brothers always craved respectability as well as wealth, and invested much of their money in legitimate businesses in Israel, Canada, the United States and the Caribbean. Their crime empire was simi-larly diversified, including investments in brothels in West Germany.

Gilbert described himself as a property investor - and, indeed, owned land and buildings in Paris, Brussels, and elsewhere. Neighbours in the Avenue de Ségur described his apartment there as "sumptuous". But he had become careless, always walking his dogs early in the morning. And his end yesterday was

appropriately dramatic, coming just after a violent thunderstorm. The question now is who inherits the flourishing empire?

Tina Onassis in fight to avoid £31.5m tax bill From Mario Modiano .

Athens

Miss Christina Onassis, the shipping heiress, asked a Greek tax court yesterday to stay a decision of the local tax authorities that she should pay £31.5m in death duties, fines, and interest on the Greek estate of her late father, Aristotle Onassis. The court promised to issue

its ruling on Monday after Miss Onassis's lawyers requested that payment be suspended until the appeal hearing. In her appeal, Miss Onasis argues that her father - who

died in 1975 - was a citizen of Argentina and never resided or owned property in Greece. The Ministry of Finance claims that the Onassis assets were controlled by front companies. mostly based in Panama, to evade taxes and duties.

The assets included Olympic Airways, the Greek national population of Nigeria would be airline, which was purchased by around 130 million compared the state from Victoria Financiera Company of Panama five months after Mr Onassis died. Payment of about \$5m (£3.3m) is still outstanding.

Miss Onassis's lawyers argue that this company does not belong to her.

Gangland 50 die in as train hits mine

Lisbon (Reuter) - Fifty people died and 210 were injured when a train hit a mine n castern Angola, the official Angolan news agency said. It blamed the explosion on South Africa and anti-government

guerrillas supported by Pretoria.
This indescribable crime by armed gangs financed by South Africa's racist regime is part of the regime of destabilization of Pretoria against civilian and economic targest inside Angola," the agency said. The explosion happened early on

Wednesday, it said. Unita guerrillas have attacked several railway targets recently in their attempts to overthrow the Marxist Government of Angola.

Forest recluse flees police

Assisi (AP) - A young businessman whose factory went bankrupt has spent nearly five months living in the woods near here after his family gave him up for dead.

Signor Osvaldo Micheli, aged 35, was discovered by a ranger and identified himself by showing his driver's licence before fleeing into the woods again. Police with helicopters and dogs have been unable to track him down.

Escape foiled

Berlin (AP) - An unidentified man failed to crash his lorry through the Berlin Wall early yesterday and was pulled from the driver's cabin and detained by East Berlin border guards.

Editor wins

Rome (Reuter) - A Judge ordered the Rome-based Daily Imerican newspaper immediately to reinstate its editor, Mr Christopher Winner, locked out last month with his editorial staff of 16, in a pay dispute, the editor's lawyer said.

\$10,000 left

Los Angeles (Reuter) - Vicki Morgan, the murdered ex-actress who drove a Mercedes and kept servants as the selfproclaimed mistress of multi-millionaire Alfred Blooming-dale, left about \$10,000 (about £6,500) in assets, according to papers filed in court here.

Therapist jailed

Los Angeles (Router) - a 43-year-old cancer therapist said to have told sufferers that he had a secret serum to treat the disease. was sentenced to the maximum term of six years' imprisonment for defrauding patients in California.

Bette Midler III



Bette Midler, the singer, suffering from exhaustion and an upset stomach, collapsed offstage during a performance in Pontiac Michigan, and was taken to hospital. Her condition was later described as stable.

Human skeleton Chur. Switzerland(AP) - A

hiker touring mountain passes near the village of Silvaplana discovered the skeleton of Herr Josef Gehrt, a West German climber who disappeared in July, 1978.

Athens murder

Athens (AP) - A political exile from Damascus, Joseph Radouac, aged 25, has been shot dead in Piraeus. The gunman shot him twice in the head at point-blank range.

Dioxin inquiry

Brussels (Reuter) - The Belgian Labour Ministry has begun an inquiry into a series of planned shipments of chemical waste containing dioxin from a factory at Linz in Austria to Antwerp where the council is worried about public health

Turkey seeks united action against Armenians

By Henry Stanhope, Diplomatic Correspondent Collective action by inter- Defence, during a three-day recovery of their ancient lands visit to Britain. Strict security had been ordered for the visit even before

the Lisbon bombing with Whitehall and the Turkish Embasy refusing to list Mr Rurkman's programme in adit was the only possible

The Foreign Minister, who has been described as a priority target for the Armenian Secret Army for the Liberation of Armenia, declared that no Turkish diplomat would be deterred by the threat, though no security measures could ever

Nor could he offer any hope to the Armenians of attaining their two main objectives - the

on the Turkish-Soviet borders and atonement by Turkey for the massacre, of Armenians during the First World War. They were seeking revenge for acts belonging to a bygone

age under the old Ottoman Empire. Mr Turkmen said. They should give up their utopia and their terrorism. One could not give in to violence, he added: • LISBON-Five Armenian

terrorists who were killed on Wednesday in an assault on the Turkish Embassy apparently planned to seize hostages and hold the building for at least 48 hours (AP reports).

Portuguese officials released a message yesterday in which the assailants warned police. We will blow up the whole building, killing the hostages with us" if security forces made any intervention within two days. The document was addressed

to the police and left aponymously at a Portuguese newspaper. It warned against a series of police measures including the use of helicopters, disorientation techniques and rooftop marksmen and was signed by the Armenian Revolutionary

Officials said it appeared that the terrorists had planned to occupy the building for a lone



ment tightening control over personal interventions, in the those who pass "false inforspirit of the Pope's recent visit mation" This clause was aimed pri-In response, the Government marily at discouraging people had first split the proposed from supplying information wee dropped, the changes permanent changes from the about demonstration or unrest not pased unanimously.

Jakarta admits carrying out killings

From Our Correspondent, Jakarta Lieutenant-General Ali Mur- civil rights groups to be much ations and well-known extortopo, a member of the Supreme higher. Advisory Council, has confirmed for the first time that the reported statement, said he reaction was almost unequivosummary execution of crimi- believed people were relieved to cally favourable. nals in Indonesia's main cities be rid of a menace that could

500 such killings by official paign.

nais in inconesia's main clues being carried out "according develop into the proportions of despite the support of senior to the stipulations of the Defence and Security Ministry".

Defence and Security Ministry and Security Ministry and Security Ministry and Security Ministry. There have been more than criticism of the shooting cam- Mr Adam Malik, the former

count in the past few months, but the death toll is believed by members of ex-convicts' association decried the shootings

igher. tionists. When the shootings General Murtopo, in a widely started early this year, public But in the past month,

Europe and Voice of America -

Poland.

have been used to destabilize

Though some amendments

wee dropped, the changes were

Vice-President and several par-

Iran spying denied by **Red Cross**

Tehran (Reuter) - M Jean-International Red Cross in Tehran, yesterday denied an Iran. claim that one of his staff had been spying.

An Iranian official had accused M Charles Genequand

of spying, and the Foreign Ministry on Wednesday gave him three days to leave the country. The accusation followed an incident at a camp holding

lragi prisoners of war, which culminated in M Genequand and M Fallet being beaten up by prisoners. M Fallet said he was surprised and disappointed by the charge.
This has never been and

will never be the case that a Red Cross delegate has been spying. This is an accusation that I really refute," he said. At the International Red Cross headquarters in Geneva a spokesman expressed aston ishment and regret at the incident and said the organization was seeking clarification from Iran's Foreign Ministry. M Fallet said M Genequand

has been able to conduct private unmonitored conver-sations with Iraqi prisoners more easily than other members of the Red Cross team in Tehran becanse he spoke

The Iranian version of events was given by Mr Muhammad Ali Nazaran, an official in charge of Iraqi prisoners of war, in an interview with the national news agency Irna on Mr Nazaran said M Gene-

quand had taken from a prisoner a list of "committed Muslim" Iraqi prisoners of war and promised to pass it to Baghdad for their families to be harassed. The phrase "committed Muslim" is usually used to mean someone who supports Iran's Islamic revolution. irna said that when the prisoners concerned discovered

what had happened, they

attacked the Red Cross official

and he and an Iranian officer

accompanying him had been

More Bahais held: Twentytwo prominent members of the Bahai faith have been arrested in Iran after the executions last month of 17 Bahais accused of espionage, a spokeswoman for the faith said in London yesterday. She said eight men and eight women had been imprisoned this month after being arrested in Tehran, the south-west city of Shiraz and Mashhad in the north.

Within hours of the figures released, officials of

national security forces against Armenian terrorists has been urged by Mr Ilter Turkman, Turkey's Foreign Minister, in the light of Wednesday's raid on his country's Lisbon Embassy.

response when attacks by Armenian militants wre carried out in neutral countries, often hurting innocent bystanders, he said on BBC Television's Newsnight.

He was speaking in advance of yesterday's discussions with Mrs Margaret Thatcher, Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Foreign Secretary, and Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for

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Cinema

Theatre

Cyrano de Bergerac

Undaunted, or perhaps spurred on, by the National Theatre's unhappy experience with this play, the RSC have matched Rostand's heroic text with an besides a masterly physical heroic production. It runs to ricarly three-and-a-half hours. transformation. He has speed. ardour, capacity for quick changes and unforced authority the cast list occupies two full ages, the combined forces of alph Koltai and Clive Morris among his wolfish comrades. ood the Barbican stage with atmosphere-drenched settings, and the dramatically alert music enables me grate-fully to add the name of Nigel Hess to the list of theatrically gifted composers I discussed on

this page last week Cyrano de Bergerae is an extremely rare example of a play specifically reflecting a totally artificial code of manners, which triumphantly survives its own time and passes into universal currency. It is in favour of militarism, grand suicidal gestures, idealized love. and an inseparable blend of hooliganism and romantic deli-

It also manages to preserve a sense of witty anachronism without deflating the heroics. The Garscon cadets are starving to death on the battlefield awaiting massacre at the hands of the Spanish: a coach rolls up containing the ardent Roxane in quest of her beloved Christian. But no sooner have you senled down to endure a ridiculous love scene, than she announces that she has bought her had

Paris is a city to live up to

rather than in, perhaps the most

prominent example of the influence of architecture upon

manners: even in a resolutely

mundane programme like Euro-

pean Connections: France (Cen-

tral), the familiar prospect of

urban sprawl looked different

somehow. The skyscrapers of

La Désense are grouped around

a Miro sculpture: in a bad light,

it might be difficult to fell them

apart. France is, after all, the

in foreign parts. Paul Webster,

last night's subject, is a correspondent in Paris and of course,

after a while, to reporters all

cities seem the same. Paris was,

for him, essentially a place of work. But he has lived in that

city for 10 years, which is quite

enough time to observe those

national peculiarities which are

strong and permanent precisely

because they are taken for

granted by those who possess

This was the first of a series

society of the spectacle.

specially for the battle; and Rarities moreover, loaded the coach with Parisian delicacies. The play never goes out of fashion: rather it lies in wait for from the right actor, and I do not believe it has found him in Derek Jacobi. Mr Jacobi has France many advantages on his side.

What lingers on, though, is

the adolescent whine that has

always sabotaged his delivery.

and a growing preference for

music above sense - which matters more and more as the

As Ralph Richardson demon-

Cyrano is passionate sincerity.

simply to offset the sentiment.

of Montfleury, and the break-

Carlisle, who leaves his villain-

The production is not mov-

Webster pointed out, for

example, that French children

are exposed to philosophical

discourse relatively early in

their education; but, before

Heidegger is introduced to

Notting Hill Comprehensive, it

ought to be understood that the

only result seems to be that "it is very difficult to find a

Frenchman who can't talk

intelligently about politics". That must be very hard to bear.

The French no doubt live in a

more civilized or at least more

cultivated society than our own

- although that is not, in itself, a

sufficient reason for wanting to move there. The point of a

series such as this ought to be to

examine the reasons why English people decide to be

domiciled in France - what they

miss by it, and what they gain

which veered uneasily between

travelosue and documentary

Peter Ackroyd

but last night's progr

did not get very far.

ng; but at its best it is thrilling,

last act restoration.

Television

evening wears on,

Jacques Feyder

National Film Theatre

Jacques Tati shorts

Everyman

This is one of those freak weeks strated long ago, the key to without any new cinema rel-As played here, the wit is there eases; no matter, life goes on The National Film Theatre, for instance, is spending August in As a result, Terry Hands's the stimulating company of production scores most in crowd scenes; such as the Jacques Feyder, the director of opening theatrical humiliation La Kermesse Héroique and other French classics, who fast for the starving poets at Ragueneau's shop, with a loving and wholly credible performseems to have been steadily sinking into oblivion since his death in 1948. Cinema history by Peter Postlethwaite as is cruelly enslaved to fashion: if the literature-fancying pastry cook. There is also a fine, subtly films from the past are never revived and considered afresh, great reputations can quickly drawn de Guiche by John dwindle to dust or mere platitudes. Feyder - once placed ous options open for the partial alongside Renoir. Rene Clair and Marcel Carné - has suffered both fates. If current cinema books examine his work at all. and funny, leaving you wishing only that Puccini has set it to they do so only on the basis of his past standing - as a maker of isually eloquent silents: as the Irving Wardle director. above all, of La posed by Han-hermesse herolque (1935), and unsettling famed for its expert recreation of sixteenth-century Flanders and the wholehearted star

> Once the hard evidence is collected and surveyed, how-ever, a different, far more complex picture emerges. The realistic surface of Feyder's films, so carefully prepared through painstaking decor and adventurous locations, periodically gives way to various kinds of fantasy – sometimes poetic (as in the beautiful Visages d'enfants of 1923), sometimes satiric (Les Nouveaux Messicurs), even ocasionally erotic (Le Grand Jeu). Feyder's camera and characters constantly do the unexpected, pulled off course by the director's evident love of human peculiarities. The bewildering Nouveaux Messicurs (1928) refuses to settle down into the airy, civilized. Clair-like comedy its material indicates; the gibes at politicians of every shade and the speciacle of human corruption cut too deeply. Similarly, the spirited *Grand Jeu* (1933) never becomes the pot-pourri of

performance of his wife. Fran-

coise Rosay.



Foreign Legion cliches sug-gested by its story of a lovelorn legionnaire in Morocco. The atmosphere is disconcertingly thick with flies, hubbub, dark mysteries, sexual desire; even the background music (composed by Hanns Esler) is acrid

Feyder himself - by all accounts a man of much personal nobility - voiced his gifts modestly: he was an artisan, he said, rather than an artist. From some angles this self-assessment is perceptive and just. In the 1920s, particularly, he was content to lean on distinguished literary sources: Zola's Thérèse Raquin (a lost film, unfortunately). Anatole France's Crainquebille, Prosper Merimee's Carmen. (this last film, incidentally, shows the perils of idle subservience: the visual texture is unimpea-cheable, but the characters strut like puppets.) Feyder also keeping his craftsmanship intact. Countries were equally assimulated. He spent some years in Hollywood, working with Garbo on *The King*; he joined Alexander Korda's foreign armada at Denham. directing Dietrich in the absurd but likable Knight Without Armour. He filmed in Germany (the bilingual circus drama Les Gens du voyage) and ended his days in Switzerland,

allowed him to collaborate fruitfully with others - particularly Francise Rosay, his regular script writer Charles Spaak and the art director Lazare Meerson. Rosay is an actress for all seasons, all emotions, in the remarkable Pension Mimosas 1934) she effortlessly leaps from outrage to tender tears; she convinces both as a fashionable grunde dame (Gribiche) or a circus lion-tamer, cracking the whip with gusto (Les Gens du volage). Rosay was also tho-roughly capable of taking over the direction when Feyder feli ill: during Visages d'ensants. shot in the Swiss moutains, she took charge for two weeks. The Russian-born Lazare Meerson gave Feyder a matching blend of strength, fierce style and versitality. Spanish taverns and Paris bistros are created with the same verve as art deco apartments dripping with soft curves and angular light fittinggeaffferhaps his neatest achievements lie in Pension Mimosas - largely set in a Côte d'Azur hotel designed with a rare combination of decorative style and economy.

Yet, the more Feyder films one sees, the more he becomes an idiosyncratic artist. Obsessive themes keep poking through. The emotional rivalries between the boy, half-sister and stepmother in Visages d'enfants variously spread into Gribiche, Les Nouveaux Mes-

sieurs and the late portmanteau film *Une Femme disparâit*. The most bizarre variation occurs in Mimosas, Rosay's hotel proprietor nurse a secret passion for her godson a passion kept secret even from the audience until well into the

The directorial style contains equal peculiarities. The early expressive experiments with superimpositions and dizzy camerawork disappear with sound, but Feyder consistently enlivens his images with unpredictable details. Faces of crowds and passers-by are curiously thrust before us narrative irrelevancies add spice to routine moments - a servant returning a forgotten hat, a policeman clumsily dropping his handcuffs. Feyder's quizzical manner, moreover, carries its own electric charge: few scenes in cinema can be as the gross hotelier quietly feasts strange, erratic life; after this donnas. marvellous season (Monday until August 21) no one should relegate Feyder to the cob-webbed corners of cinema's

Further French rarities may be found at the Everynan cinema. Hampstead, during their 10-day Jacques Tati season beginning on Monday. Recent revivals have reawakened audiences to the pleasures of Jour de fête, Mon Oncle and Playtime, but Tati's short films remain unknown territory. Two are now offered as supports for *Playtime* (on August 2, 4, 6 and 10).

L'Ecole des facteurs (1947) presents the blithe kernel of Jour de fete: the spindly young Tati pursues his postal round, swinging his shoulder bag in a vicious circle, entangling his bike with a level crossing, conducting himself with perfect comic grace. But it is the later film, Cows de soir, made in 1967 and directed on Tati's behalf by Nicolas Robowski. that really fascinates. Standing in an antiseptic room before a strange audience of sober-suited gentlemen. Tati conducts a demonstration lecture on human observation. We learn how to smoke, cough and wheeze; how to fish, ride a horse, trip up stairs and walk into obstacles. As a film in itself. Cours de soir is com-pletely deshevelled, but there is a definite hypnotic power in the speciacle of Tati - always the most meticulous of clowns examining his old routines under laboratory conditions.

Geoff Brown

Opera

Griselda

Malcolm Fraser's way is to go back to contemporary practice: first in translating the recitative into our vernacular, leaving the arias where the vowel reigns, in Italian; and second, in giving full rein to Goldoni's comic intermezzi, performed here, in true cornetto-macaroni sole mio style, by a troupe of madrigal singing actors whipped along by clown Chris Harris.

a bright, seamless tapestry with the drama in hand, building and releasing tension as they nudge us in and out of sympathy with the protagonists. It is they, for instance, who aid in the ritual undressing of the distraught and desolate Griselda and later, in insidiously erotic as the desolate Griselda and later, in moment in Le Grand Jeu when their merriment highlight her isolation: Cynthia Buchan lives his eyes on the maid hanging up vocally and dramatically to fly-papers from the ceiling the full glory Goldoni and These are films that throb with Vivaldi accord their prima

> She is matched by the splendidly boorish, stentorian John Mitchinson as her husband Gualiero, and menaced by the ingratiating Ottone, Phyllis Cannan, brave, bearded but not always quite brilliant in her testing castrato role. Daughter Costanza's coloratura ripples nagnificently from the throat of Paula Scalera, with Robin Martin-Oliver and Christine Batty as the brothers Roberto and Corrado.

Hilary Finch

BBCSO/Elder

Opportunities for orchestral performance are rare enough these days that most composers approach the task of a Prom commission with gladsome cries and reach all at once for the big statement. Nor need there be anything wrong in that: last year, the year of the four symphonies, produced three works of more than ordinary

This season, however, the complexion of the new pieces is different. Only one of them is for full orchestra, and that is not a symphony but a concerto, the Piano Concerto by Dominic Muldowney that had its first performance on Wednesday

In addressing his audience through the medium of the soloist. Muldowney puts him-self in the position of entering under Mark Elder, the premier the Albert Hall obliquely. somewhat in disguise, and the indirections do not end there.

The fourth Boccaccian day of the fifth Buxton Festival ar-

rived, and with it the fourth Boccaecian night at the Opera House. The stage revealed, for the first production of Vivaldi's Griselda, a recession of Giottoesque arches framing a series of Book of Hours tableauvivants which cunningly and carichingly fuse visually the late medieval provenance of Vivaldi's tale with the baroque aural archetypes of his score.

Fay Conway's vibrant scts and costumes and Joe Davis's stained glass dapple lighting They rarely outstay their welcome and do much to weave a bright samples to make the samples the samples to make the samples the sa matter from the highways and byways of the operatic repertoire into something rich and strange - surely one of the most valuable functions of any festival. And Griselda, with, its unsympathetic story of the merciless testing of the faithful wife, its yards of unattractive recitative, and its conventionbound arias, needs all the help it can get.

Just as Fraser's perfective pacing of tragedy and comedy. artifice and realism propels the episodic drama on its way, so Anthony Hose and the Manchester Camerata in the pit. pump Vivalid's score for all its muscle, urging every voice, glancing back over their shoulders to the Vivaldi of cantata and concerts and encouraging us. in this appetite-whetting production, to look forward to the disinterment of Vivaldi's other

Albert Hall/Radio 3

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Concert

All the big statements were left to Strauss's Thus Spake Zaru-thustra in the second half, while the new concerto occupied itself instead with unexplained happenings, with the merest suggestions, with hints and prods and

Perhaps that makes it sound whimsical, but it was too simple to be whimsical, and too odd to be simple. It was, quite simply, the puzzle, and just at the point where all its gambits seemed to be exhausted, just at the moment when soloist and orchestra were girding themselves up for something delinite, it ended.

It could all make a marvellous half-hour ballet, but possibly it is best left as an enigma. one in which the soloist, playing almost continuously, rattles through a bewildering variety of routines in search of a tune. With astute backing from the was an exciting event.

Paul Griffiths

US butter sale to Egypt puts EEC truce at risk

From Ian Marray, Brussels

The EEC is far from happy the latter sold a million tonnes about a new American deal to of wheat flour to Egypt at the sell large quantities of butter beginning of the year. Talks sell large quantities of butter and cheese to Egypt. Experts of have continued since then to try the European Commission are to defuse the situation, but the studying the details of the deal with Egypt is certain with the idea of referring the to make this even more matter to the General Agree- difficult. ment on Tarriffs and Trade

(GATT). The new deal thus threatens the uneasy truce between the the uneasy truce between the if the commission should decide Community and the United to go to war on the issue.

The dispute comes at a US Administration claims that the contract for 18,000 tonnes of butter and 6.000 tonnes of cheese is in reality only food aid and thus does not represent an unfair intrusion into a tra-

ditional EEC market. But the Commission is out its own investigations to see due to be released today. whether the interest-free dairy product deal really does match matter was raised during a two-day meeting in Brussels this week between senior American and EEC agricultureal officials

Some officials are drawing up plans for retaliatory action in dumping EEC surplus products on sensitive American markets.

particularly difficult time for the EEC, it is on the point of trying to negotiate a reform of its common agricultural policy. aimed at reducing the cost of farm support by about 20 per cent. Details of this plan have been thrashed out by the 14 deeply suspicious of the food members of the commission argument and is carrying over the past three days and are

If, however, it was felt necessary to fight off American up to the GATT criteria. The dumping, then the cost of matter was raised during a two-supporting the CAP would soar and put paid to plans for immediate reform.

lt would also make it even and, according to a senior more difficult to persuade the commission representative. It United States to limit its poisoned the atmosphere of the exports of such products as cereal substitutes to Europe -Trade relations on agriculture which is one of the main between the EEC and the US commission hopes for saving

have been very strained since money on the CAP. Muldoon boosts spending

A budget promising mild The freeze, originally de-sturnulation of a sluggish signed to last a year, was economy was presented to recently extended another six economy was presented to Parliament last night. Its distinguishing feature is a record hold on wages and prices has internal deficit of £3.1 billion.

with eye on election

Mr Robert Muldoon, the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, delivering the budget, conceded that a fiscal deficit representing 9.5 per cent of gross domestic product posed difficulties for economic management

Government spending is forecast to rise by 13.1 per cent to £14,336m in 1983-84. An increase influenced by higher expenditures on industrial development and payment of debt services. Receipts are expected to rise by only 2.4 per cent to

£11.167m. The injection of new money might help to enhance the Government's election chances next year but it will also pose a threat to the tenuous gains against inflation achieved through a prices and wages

months to February. The tight about 17 per cent last year to 8 per cent.

The budget was something of an anti-climax in the wake of Mr Muldoon's announcement the previous evening that interest rates on Treasury bills were to fall from 12 per cent to 8 per cent and government

stock to a similar level. He said he would require banks and finance houses to follow suit to bring their rates more into line with inflation.

Other feaures of the budget are a slight rise in tax on higher incomes to finance cuts to those on lower levels who missed out on concessions last year. Those on salaries above £24,000 will pay an extra £90 a year while those to receive help will benefit

by about £10 a weck. There are modest rises in taxes on cigarettes and liquor.

New York court bails 8 in IRA plot case

From Arnold Lubasch (New York Times) New York

Federal authorities have charged eight men in connexion with alleged conspiracies to sell about \$2ba (£1.3bn) worth of weapons to Iran and about \$15m worth of machine guns, silencers and other weapons without serial numbers to the

The authorities said the investigation had been conducted by undercover agents who displayed \$10m in cash to the suspects, seized 100 machine guns along with an assassination kit and taped a discussion about a stolen nuclear device.

The agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, tobacco and Firearms conducted their eight-month investigation by posing as representatives of Iran and the IRA seeking a wide range of weapons that included tanks, helicopters and missiles. Neither Iran nor the IRA

was really involved. All eight suspects were arrested and brought to a ball hearing in the Manhattan Federal District court on Wednesday when bail ranging from \$1.25m to \$7,500 was set. The suspects lawyers disputed the charges and described the

suspects as legitimate businessmen who had never been arrested before. The main suspects Abbott van Backer, aged 62, of Clarks Summit, Pennsylvania; Alan Harvey, aged 73, of Haworth, New Jersey; and Robert Krejcik, aged 45, of Brooklyn, New York. They are charged with the Iran con-

spiracy. Mr Harvey and Mr Krejcik are also charged with the IRA conspiracy. The other five suspects are said to be machinists who produced extremely high-qual-ity machine guns. They are William Moravcik, aged 57, of Port Washington, Long Island; Oldrich Pastorek, aged 47, of Rutherford, New Jersey, Honza Kiugar, aged 58, of Norwood, New Jersey, Mirek Zavadil, of Queens, New York and Dennis Mach, aged 49, of Dover, New Jersey.

The three main defendants were described by the authorities as independent middle-men who conducted weapons deals between manufacturers and buyers, they were charged with having agreed to provide 25 attac halicopters, 100 M60A1 tanks, 60 Hawk missiles and numerous other military weapons for delivery to

Il Duce's centenary turns sour

The artisan in Feyder also

ary of Mussolini's birth has perplexed the Italian authorities since postmark recording the

Benito Mussolini was born on July 29, 1883, one hundred years ago today, at Predappio, a town in the hills 32 miles inland from Riminio The official postmark planned to adom correspondence showed his father's house encircled by the simple statement: "First centen-ary of the birth of B. Mussoli-

The issue was not whether the event should be marked at all or allowed to pass in official silence. A majority of Italian would now agree that Mussolini's career is a part of Italian history whic cannot be cancelled in the way a postage stamp can The question was whether the date could properly be underlined in this straightforward manner without some cautionary material added to remind people that Mussolini led his country to disaster.

Predappio postmark proposal surronding Mussolini's career ran into sharp criticism. "In the because of the centenary celebirth of Mussolini," Lietta brations. front page of La Stampa, "there ment had to withdraw the is nothing worthy of pure and postmark plan as "a mistake". neutral celebration."

So far no estimate has been

Britain by Italy has allowed The

Netherlands to take the lead in

the Eurpoean woman's bridge

championship.
Gardner-Davies and Landy-

Horton played all 64 boards against France and Italy in very

humid conditions, after the rest

day and were understandable tired towards the end. They

now have only four rounds to

make up a 12-point deficit if

In the open championship,

Britain drew 10-10 with third

placed Hungary and then overwhelmed Switzerland 20-

minus I to continue their.

Ndjamena (Reuter) - France

handed over a 28-seat transport

aircraft and three-man crew yesterday as part of aid to

President Hissène Habré's

Government in its struggle

The twin-engined Casa-212 will remforce Chad's small fleet

of DC4s and DC3s, only one of

which is operational. It was

delivered to the Chad Defence

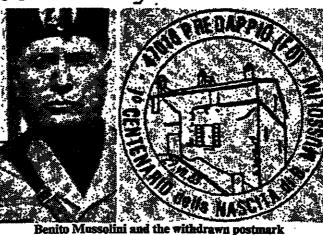
Ministry by M. Claude Soubeste,

the French Ambassador.

against Libyan-backed rebels.

they are to ratain their title.

progress up the table.



up outside the cathedral in Predappio on July 29 to postmark stamps for II Duce's admirers could hardly have looked worse after the success last month in the general election of the far right-wing Italian Social Movement. The increase in the right-wing vote was in part ascribed to the As soon as it was mooted, the generally less critical aura

Tornabuoni intoned on the So shamefully the Governement had to withdraw the

Italy crush British women at bridge

From Keith Stanley, Bridge Correspondent, Wieshaden

second place, which carrise

entry into the world champion-

ship later this year, is still wide

Results round 18: Iceland 20.

Romania minus 3: Norway 20. Luxembourg minus 2; Belgium 11, Italy 9; Finland 2. Austria 18; Hungary 19. Turkey 1; Netherlands

20. Lebanon 0: Switzerland minus 1.

Britain 20; Poland 13. Ireland 7;

Spain 6, Yugoslavia 14; Israel 6, Denmark 14; Sweden 4, France 16;

Standings after 18 reunds: 1 France 295, 2 Italy 234; 3 Hungary

2251₂ 4 Germany 223, 5 Norway 2251₃ 6 Netherlands 2171₃ 7 Austria 216, 8 Belgium 2001₃ 9 Denmark 198, 10 Britain 194, 11

French-supplied arms have

helped the Government to

regain the initiative in the

month-old war. No fresh fight-

ing has been reported in the last

Geneva, A British-spon-

sored planeload of 40 tonnes of

powdered milk arrived in

Ndjamena on Wednesday, two

weeks after it was turned back

in a first attempt by UN

Disaster Relief Organization

Portugal 0: Germany 20.

An unexpected 19-1 defeat of win the open championship, but

France still seem certain to Ireland 173, 14 Israel 167, 15

French gift boosts Habré

open.

Then the idea that a mobile made of the political weight to post-office would have been set be attached to the appearance on the cover of the Italian edition of Playboy for August of Alessandra Mussolini who the dictator's raven-haired grand-daughter. Her father is Vittorio Mussolini and her mother is the sister of Sophia Loren. She has, the magazine says, the "sullen look of a fateful grandfather and the sexappeal of her aunt".

in an interview as sparse as what she is wearing the girl explains that she was named after Mussolini's father, Alessandro, who was also from Predappio. "He was a great Predappio. "He wasocialist." she says.

14, France 6; Spain 10, Switzerland 10: Ireland 18, Israel 2: Poland 12,

Results (women's series) round 7:

Sweden 8: Italy 10. Germany 10:

Netherlands 20.

Kremlin blows hot and cold on talks

From Richard Owen, Moscow

The Kremlin yesterday issued at Geneva before December. East-West relations in Europe. indicating that the Russians are in two minds about the chances of an arms agreement at

Geneva this year. In a commentary on the eighth anniversary of the signing of the Helsinki agreements in 1975. Tass said the European security review con-ference in Madrid showed that it is possible to come to terms when the political will is there. and when there is respect for one another's legitimate inter-

Tass repeated President Yuri Andropov's recent remark that moves towards compromise between East an West over human rights at Madrid were a hopeful sign, and that this positive spirit should be mainiained.

Diplomats have noted a Soviet desire to reach agree-ment on medium-range missiles

Tass said the Helsinki accords had opened up new and brighter horizons, and that despite a Western campaign against détente, the peoples of East an West Europe wanted peace and tranquility.

are due to be deployed.

They do not want to view each other through a palisade of nuclear missiles. Tass commented.

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At the same time, in a strong attack on Nato and the United States. Pravda yesterday poured scorn on claims of American flexibility at Geneva. Pravda dismissed suggestions that the negotiations might be expedited once the new Nato missiles were in place as "demagogical".

"In actual fact, there are no grounds for optimism (at Geneva). *Pravdu* said. The latest round of talks made no headway whatever."

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Morocco forced to accept From Godfrey Morrison

approved an austerity budget slashing planned government spending by about 13 per cent and raising taxes by about 450m Iceland 1501₂, 18 Turkey 146, 19 Switzerland 1391₂, 20 Luxembourg 1301₂, 21 Finland 108, 22 Spain 107, 23 Yugoslavia 911₂, 24 Portugal 90.

because of economic difficulties

Sweden 13. Israel 7: Switzerland minus 4. Poland 20: France 17, Ireland 3: Finland 9. Spain 11: Italy 19. Britain 1: Germany minus 4. Women's standings after sever rounds: | Netherlands 104, 2 Britain 92, 3 France 87, 4 Italy 81, 5 Poland 80, 6 Spain 71, 7 Ireland 68, 8 Germany 67, 9 Sweden 66, 10 Finland 55, 11 Switzerland 41, 12

austerity budget Rabat Morocco's Parliament has

dirhams (just over £40m). Parliament had been recalled for a special session to vote on Results (women's series) round 6: Netherlands 17. Finland 3: Britain the measures which King Hassan said were necessary

> caused by worldwide recession, a siumo in prices for Morocco's chief export, phosphates, three years of draught, seven years of war in the Western Sahara and growing protectionism Morocco has also been hit both by the rise, and the present

> stagnation, in oil prices. The rise produced a soaring import bill, and the stagnation has made its Arab-oil producer friends less eager to provide finacial aid.

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THE TIMES GUIDE TO CENTRAL AMERICA Reagan's reaffirmation of the 160-year-old Monroe Doctrine, formulated to defend America's backyard

Three separate US Navy battle groups are now converging on Nicaragua, the instruments of President

when the collapse of Spain's empire turned Central America into a place where a football match could start a war. This is what they will find.

The view from Reagan's kitchen

Nicaragua

Largest and most sparsely populated country in the region. Population: 2.7m. Area: 57,100 sq miles. Capital: Managua.



Government: Popurevolution July 1979 led by Sandinist guerillas overthrew hated dynasty established Anastastio Somoza in 1936. Sandinists prom-

ised speedy elections, mixed economy. freedom of press and other liberties. but original governing Junta of National Reconstruction soon dominated by more hard-line left-wingers Commandantes (notably Daniel Ortega. above) holding real Elections indefinitely postponed, opposition figures harrassed and intimidated, independent press censored.

Military: Presence of up to 2.000 Cuban military advisers, plus some 75 Russian officers, draws extreme hostility of Reagan administration. Washington claims Cuban-style revolution exported via Nicaragua to El Salvador and other regional flashpoints. Nicaragua's standing army of approximately 30,000 by far largest in region, backed by some 50,000 armed militia. Washington claims Soviet T-55 tanks. armoured cars and SAM anti-aircraft missiles arriving via Cuba. but border clashes with "Contras" (see Honduras) are still small-scale infantry engagements. US intelligence anticipates arrival soon of up to 50 Nicaraguans receiving Mig 21 pilot training in Bulgaria. Soviet helicopters already in use. Small navy recently fought minor battles with Hondurans off Pacific coast.

Economy: Sandinists inherited economy in ruins and looted national reserves after victory. Agriculture allimportant.

Outlook: Reagan administration's threatening attitude clearly worries Sandinists, who recently proposed regional peace talks. Support for Salvadoran guerillas apparently re-

El Salvador

Smallest and most densely populated country in the region. Population: 4.5m. Area: 8,200 sq miles.

Capital: San Salvador.

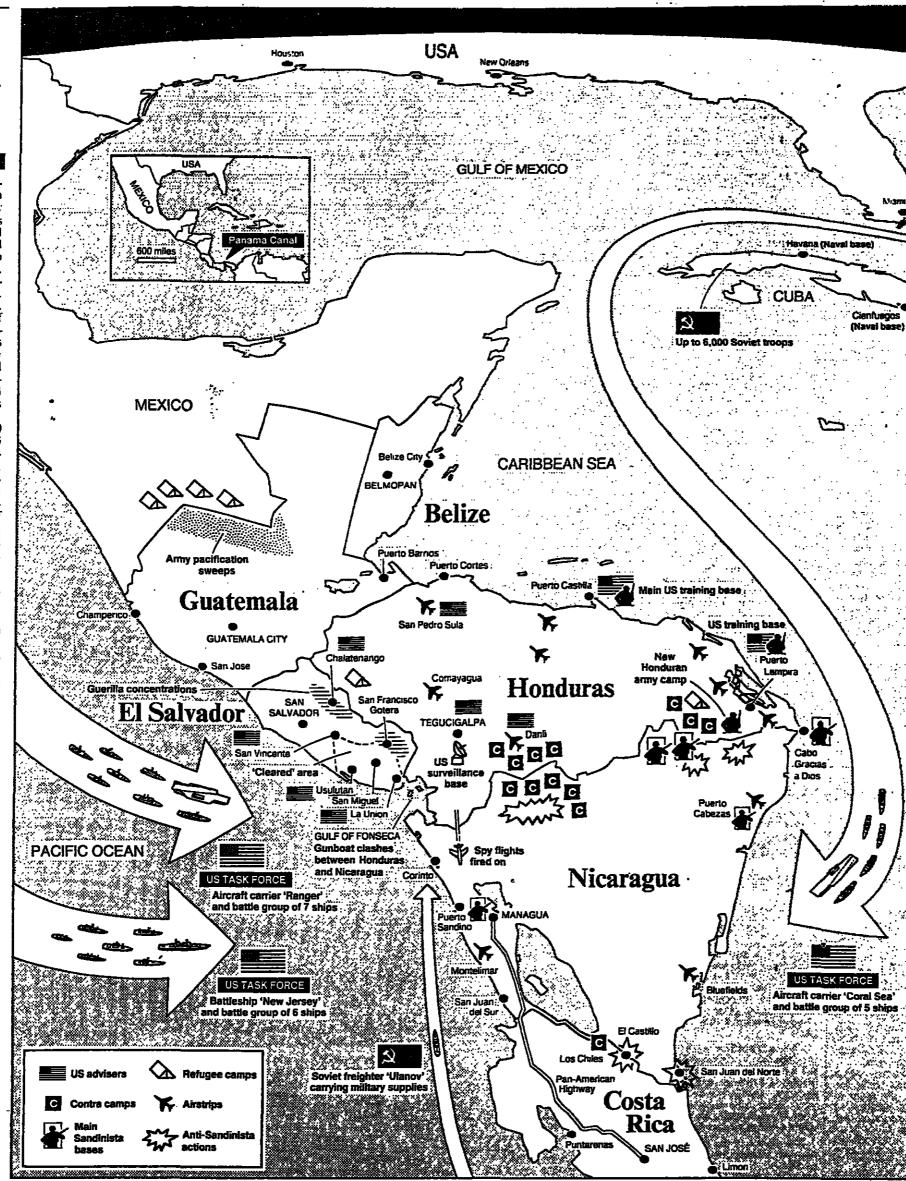


Government: Popular coup in October 1979 replaced milidictatorship military-civwith iunta. Asilian sembly elections in March 1982 reright-wing turned

coalition with small majority over Christian Democrats, largest single party. Provisional President. Dr Alvare Magana (above).

Military: Civil war between government forces and lest-wing guerilla groups has claimed some 35,000 lives since 1980, vast majority civilians killed by security forces and right-wing death squads. Salvadoran army currently 22,500 men, undergoing rapid expansion by compulsory conscription with aim of producing mobile counterinsurgency units on lines taught by approximately 55 US military advisors now stationed there. US-supplied medium artillery, heavy mortars. modern infantry weapons improving

Salvadoran air force, notoriously inept. has several Super Mystere fighters. A-37 ground attack planes. obsolete Ouragon bombers and US helicopter gunships. Small navy used and a major counter-attack is probable.



mainly for patrols from La Union port against guerilla supply lines through Gulf of Fonseca.

Hard-core strength of five guerilla groups under Faribundo Marti National Liberation Front umbrella numbers around 5,000-6,000.

Economy: Severely damaged by civil war: unemployment increasing shar-ply. Annual per capita income falling, currently approximately £350. Main exports coffee, cotton, sugar.

Outlook: Costly US-financed "hearts and minds" offensive in former guerilla strongholds has regained initiative temporarily for government. But guerilla strength largely untouched

Costa Rica

Population: 2.2m. Area: 19,650 sq miles. Capital: San José.

Government: A true parliamentary democracy since 1949 (when the army was abolished). Present middle-of-road government of President Luis Alberto Monge voted in handsomely last year. Military: 5,000 lightly armed Civil Guards are only government force, with tiny navy and air force. US offers of military aid resisted in past in

pursuit of neutrality amidst Central American turmoil. Today, former Sandinist guerilla hero Eden Pastora ("Commandante Zero") leads esti-mated 2,000 troops fighting Nicaraguan forces from bases along Costa Rica's northern border.

Economy: Severe problems face "the Switzerland of Central America", where per capita income of about £1,100 is highest in region. Collapsing world prices for main exports - coffee, sugar, bananas - vast external debts and three-figure inflation now battering Costa Ricans accustomed to good

Outlook: Gloomy. Regional tensions must impinge on Costa Rica.

Belize Population: 145,000. Area: 8,870 sq miles.

Capital: Belmopan.

Government: Some 1,500 British troops. Harrier jump-jet squadron and ground-to-air missiles defend Belize against Guatemala's claims.

Economy: Exports sugar, citrus fruits, timber. Per capita income about £450. Outlook: Possibility that US may resume arms supplies to Guatemala worries Belize and Britain.

Honduras

Poorest nation of a povertystricken region Population: 4m. Area: 43,250 sq miles, Capital: Tegucigalpa.



Government: (1) elected in 1981 to end decade of military rule. Centrist party in President: Liberal Roberto Cordova (left).

Military: Honduras increasingly focus of Reagan administration's military strategy in Central America. Honduran army of approximately 17,000 to be sharply expanded. Air force most powerful in region with 12 Super Mystere fighters bought from Israel. US A-37 ground attack planes, troop transports and military helicopters. US plans big expansion of military aid, plus establishment of major base for training Salvadoran troops (cheaper and less visible than training in US). Up to 150 American military advisors, mainly Green Berets, to be stationed there. Military airfields being extended for possible use by US warplanes.
"Secret" but highly visible CLA

operation created army of up to 10,000 Nicaraguans to destabilize Sandinist regime in Nicaragua. Leadership of the "Contras" (counter-revolutionaries) almost exclusively former members of Somoza's Nicaraguan National Guard. Economy: Agriculture accounts for 80 per cent of all exports, mainly hananas. coffee, sugar, cotton, frozen meat, timber. Average per capita annual income approx. £300.

Outlook: Many Hondurans fear being sucked into major crisis behind Washington, US support for Honduran high command seen to threaten shaks new democracy, with human rights abuses - including death from torture by security forces already increasing.

Guatemala

Population: 6.8m. Area: 42,000 sq miles. Capital: Guatemala City.



Government: Polincal tension running regime of General Efrain Rios Montt (left), who seized power in March following contested elections.

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is itself threatened by army coup. Military: Left-wing guerillas in the field since mid-1950s, but no real evidence of external support. Ruthless pacification campaigns under Rios Montt in past 18 months cleared guerillas from former strongholds, at terrible cost in army massacres of mostly Indian peasants.

Guatemalan conscript army numbers approx. 23,000 after recent expansion, mainly counterinsurgent infantry forces: some armoured units with light tanks. US embargo on military sales to Guatemala, imposed in 1977 as sanction against human. rights abuses, circumvented by purchases from Israel.

Economy: Once flourishing on coffee. cotton, sugar, bananas but now disaster area as political uncertainty worsens effects of world recession.

Outlook: Reagan administration saw "good possibilities" in Rios Montt regime, implying resumption of US military aid. Atrocities and risk of coup make immediate policy planning tricky. Possibility of Washington overtures to Guatemala worries British because of longstanding dispute over

Commentary by Philip Jacobson Illustration by John Grimwade

moreover . . . Miles Kington

A pile-up in the race to be leader of the pack

Year competition.

the contest would pick the contest. young man judged most capable Put them at the controls of a impression that a child of leading the Labour Party into whole political party, runs the running the Labour Party." an election. But already the argument and who knows what critics are saying that such a damage might not ensue? contest could only do barm to forced to take decisions and

And they point to the but by the party as well.

inexperience of the two frontrunners, neither of whom has say that a man in his forties

wanted not just by the party as well.

"It is absolute nonsense to "I want to get one thing absolutely straight," he told me already had a spectacular pile- films and travel full fare on the candidates have made total can see, looking back, that he

winner of the now discontinued Due to take place in October, Old Labour Leader of the Year

Put them at the controls of a

But the BBC Head of Heavy the career of the winner. Entertainment and big Compe-Pitched into top-level politics in titions. Mr Charles Channel, is his forties or fifties, he will be unrepentant. He thinks that a Young Labour Leader of the make appearances for which he year contest is exactly what is And sure enough, a leading of us had to walk for hours is hardly ready.

Wanted, not just by the public Labour Party nonentity hit back every day picking up tram

ever led a party in his life could not run the Labour last night. Although I am not before. In the run-up to the Party." he comments. "If he is personally entering the contest, finals. Mr Neil Kinnock has old enough to vote, go to sexy or at least not until all the other Wednesday supporter though I

Such remarks are not designed to please the politicians. the question again? To be candid, they are designed specifically to displease the politicians, for Charles Channel

The BBC is coming under up on the M4 and Mr Roy railways, he is old enough to idiots of themselves and they may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white mounting attack for staging a Hattersley has crashed head-run the Labour Party. Heavens are looking for a good compromate the properties of the powed interesting and they will have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may well have caught it off my they will strip down to white may be asked by Sir make sure this kind of thing like to do where they would like to do where they would not be asked by Sir make sure this kind of thing like to do where they would not be asked by Sir may be asked by Labour Party. Actually, there with what my colleagues have have been times in the last 10 said on this matter. We must years when I have got the find out what the public want to impression that a child was hear, and then say it to them until we are blue in the face. Pink, rather. Sorry, what was What are your comments on

Mr Channel's comments? "I think they are beneath knows as well as anyone the contempt. When I was a child value of a bit of bad publicity. in the North of England, many tickets in the street in order to complete our collection, and my father's life was cut tragically short by a disease he picked up in his work as a Sheffield

never happens again." But surely this is exactly the kind of thing the public doesn't

want to hear these days? Look, lad, who knows more about the popular taste of this country - the Labour Party or the EEC? No. on second thoughts, don't answer that question.

Meanwhile the BBC has confirmed that the contest is to go ahead in the autumn. It will be held in three stages. The finalists will first parade in Michael Foot's old suits. Then. dressed in working gear, they will be required to speak for a minute without stopping and without disclosing what subject

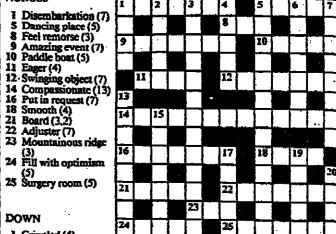
like to do when they grow up. "A harmless bit of fun," concludes Charles Channel, At

least it's more dignified that being manhandled behind closed doors by trade union

SPECTRUM on Monday:

New research shows that bad diet may provoke violence among the young

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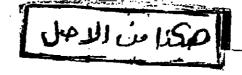
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Ordeal by witness box

Clare Dyer asks if the ends of justice require that a child of eight should be grilled

to tears in a

courtroom

The trial of the Coronation Street actor Peter Adamson, who was acquitted on Tuesday of indecently assaulting two eight-year-old girls. has highlighted the distress sex offence trials can cause the children who have to give evidence. Do the ends of justice really require that a child of eight should be grilled to the point of tears in the intimidating surroundings of a packed court-

Though the Adamson case has focused public attention on the ordeal a child witness undergoes, a working party of lawyers and psychiatrists under the aegis of the Ciba Foundation has been grappling with the problem for nearly two years. "In many cases the police interview and the appearance in courts are much more traumatic

says Professor Sydney Brandon, a child psychiatrist and a member of the working party. How to strike a balance between the child's welfare and the right of the defendant to a fair trial poses a dilemma. It is a fundamental principle of British justice that the accused should be able to test the evidence against him by cross-examination in front of the jury. Cross-examination is crucial with child witnesses, because chil-dren can be suggestible or prone to

The law makes some concessions to the vulnerability of child witnesses. Judges usually ban publication of any details which might identify the children involved. In sex offence ases, children are not ordinarily allowed to give evidence for the prosecution in the preliminary committal prodeedings in the magistrates court which precede a jury trial. This rule is designed to spare a child the ordeal of two court appearances.

In any case involving allegations of "conduct contrary to decency or morality" the judge can order the court to be cleared while the child gives evidence.

The judge also decides to what extent a child witness should receive special treatment. There are no official guidelines. Few go as far as the kindly old judge who dangled a small boy on his knee and allowed his wig to be used as a woolly toy.



beforehand and become familiar with the courtroom. Whenever possible someone well known to the Professor Brandon contends that the gestures of well-meaning judges do not go far enough to reduce the ally a child is able to see the

almost always break down ... He also advocates that courts

should be able to accept a videotape interview with the child in lieu of evidence in court. Helena Kennedy, oo not go tar enough to reduce the ally a child is able to see the a barrister member of the working trauma of a court appearance. courtroom in advance, but in my party, strongly disagrees. "A defendant must have the right to challenge

the evidence against him by crossexamination", she says. "Even if you filmed the cross-examination as well, the jury would be seeing the tape at one remove. They wouldn't know, for instance, what had gone on before the filming started." But Professor Brian Hogan, of

Leeds University, an authority on criminal law, says: "I can't see any objection to videotape, as long as the defendant is present and there is an opportunity to cross-examine."

Another suggestion put forward by child psychiatrists is that the court should be equipped with a room with one-way glass, so that the defendant could see and hear the child without being seen.

The real problem arises when the child has been the victim of an assault and may be the only witness who can give direct evidence of it", Lord Hailsham, the Lord Chancellor. says. "This means reliving the experience in the presence of the alleged assailant."

"You can clear the court of all but essential participants, but the defendant must be present to hear the evidence against him. If a parent sits with a child while giving evidence there is a risk of prompting. To move from the court to a smaller room means that the child would be even closer to the defendant when giving evidence. Evidence given by remote or indirect means must be more difficult for the jury to weigh

The Ciba working party expects to

Friends in need

From N. Y. Gray, 31 Sydney Buildings, Bath.
I am shocked that you should have published (Friday Page, July 22) the uninformed comment made by Mrs Ruby Williams, the woman wrongly accused of shoplifting, concerning the suicide of Lady Barnett after

being charged with the same offence.

"Where were her friends?" she asks. I can answer her query as to the whereabouts of one of her friends, who is also a close friend of mine: she had taken Lady Barnett away to help her through the terrible time of waiting for the case to come up, and her attitude was that of all Lady Barnett's friends and acquaintances one of deep sympathy with her situation and a desire to help in every possible way. The tragedy was that in the final analysis to one could help.

State benefits

From Mrs Jane Pegler, 29a Primrose Mansions, Prince of Wales Drive. Battersea, SW11

Your Friday Page of July 22 includes an article entitled Bringing ap the Orphans of Disaster in which it is suggested that only where there are no guardians available in an orphan's family circle, or where there is a dispute over who should care for the child, is it likely that the iocai authorities will have to "interfere" in his or her upbringing.

A case is then presented of two orphaned brothers, now adult, of whom the younger was apparently denied the opportunity both in his new home and at school to successfully mourn the loss of his parents. He was doubtless protected

TALKBACK

from - or, should I say, not afforded the possibility of benefiting from -the "interference" of his local authority because his circumstances were not those usually understood in the description "deprived child". Instead, he suffered what must surely be the greatest deprivation of all, denial of the opportunity to express and discuss his feelings.

Had local authority "inter-

Had local authority "inter-ference" been sought, in the form of a social worker to share and tackle with the child and the newly formed family the painful task of confronting their bereavement, how much happier might have been the outcome for all concerned than this sad case history suggests.

Heavy duty

From Helen Signy, Byfleet, Surrey, As a sixth-former with more than one friend suffering from the slimmers' disease anorexia nervosa. I should like to point out that one of the causes of the illness lies with the media.

Although the fashion in past centuries has always been to be bonny", the consuming passion since the 1960s has been to look

unnaturally thin. Models such as Twiggy initiated the fashion to look slim, and now all magazines are filled with pictures of thin women. Most advertisements, even those for fattening foods, use "skinny" models, and even dummies in shop windows are abnor-

maily thin.
Is it surprising that so many girls. having been brainwashed with the idea that true beauty can only be achieved after starving themselves.

MEDICAL BRIEFING

Saving on the birth rates

world's first test-tube baby, was the hunt for deep psychiatric five years old. Her success, and complexes physical causes have the successful birth of other's leen overlooked, and emotional like her, guarantees that hun- explanations over-diagnosed. dreds of thousands of pounds

Hammersmith Hospital is inflammatory disease; for by no narrowed with advancing years. means all cases of tubal damage are due to the late result of gen, required in Hospital Doc-sexually transmitted diseases, tor, show that half the men Some, it would apear from an attending a clime for arterial analysis of all the cases admit-disease admitted to being ted to the hospital over three impotent. I third of these outmonths, are due to surgeons patients were considered suit-making matters worse by able to have an operation to operating on the female pelvis improve the blond supply to the without obeying the strict, but lower lambs; half of these had smple rules of microsurgical their powers restored.

points in the code, starting from the basic premise that the pelvis should only be opened if it is really essential and then with a wide incision using diathermy so that the blood does not escape into the peritoneal cavity; through to the simple instructions on the type of gloves, sutures and the appropriate swabbing solution, warned Hartmanns.

Mr Robert Winston, the gynaecologist, said although the Hammersmith runs short courses on this microsurgical technique, only 4 per cent of the places are taken by British doctors: they so far seem to have taken little interest in this important aspect of preventive

New strength



Over the past 70 aged men who complain been in grave danger of being

The nurses' complaint

spending wearisome hours discussing their approach to sex and women. Many doctors involved in genito-urmary medi-

COMMENT

The Homes Fit for Nurses

Campaign launched recently by

Nursing Mirror, breaks into Parliament today with a call by

Mr Timothy Yeo. Conservative MP for Suffolk South, for

improvements to nurses' ac-

The campaigners will argue.

on standards for accommo-

inspection, enforceable safety precautions and in many cases

money for the nurses.

basic repairs.

commodation.

will be spent on establishing the physicians' suspicions. Is units for in vitro fertilization, well as the neurophysiologists But the need for these pro- who have studied changes in grammes might be reduced if skin sensitivity as age increases. the public was made more arterial surgeous have shown aware of the need for early and that in many cases the problem adequate treatment of all the 1s due to a comparative failure of contacts of sufferers from NSU the blood supply to the genital organs. Doctors now accept that pende arteries can, like those tackling another cause of leading to the heart muscle. infertility due to chronic pelvic brain or lower limbs, become

Two studies from Copenha



Recent work by Dundee suggest women's that brains show an effect of aging ten years earlier than those of

men. A woman's brain starts to shrink when she is in her forties. a man's in his fifties. Many middle-aged women, however. take degrees, or professional qualifications. Their success is an interesting side light on the report in Lances from Dr Beth Hubbard, aged 33, and Dr John Anderson of Dundee Univer-

although brain shrinkage starts earlier in women, once started the rate of decline is equal in the two sexes. Dr Anderson said that having begun their joint investigations they were hoping to continue with them, for at the moment they did not even impotence have know if the early weight loss in heen in grave the female brain was due to a loss of brain cells or fluid.

> Dr Thomas Stuttaford Medical Correspondent

But even in quantities this

Government would never con-template giving, money would not make the hostels, in which

48,000 of Britain's nurses live.

into homes. The real problems

wrong shape and do not belong to the people who live in them.

Most are big, drab, run-down

barracks, ill equipped, ill ser-

identical corridors, with up to

80 identical rooms on each.

viced and as amenable as Kings

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Cross station for nurses coming off a 12 hour shift to relax, sleep rightly, that nurses hostels are in a bad state of repair and they will press the Department of and study in. Like many of our insti-Health and Social Security to tutions: nurses' hostels were spend money on doing them up. The Government will argue that built to accommodate battalions rather than people. They it is a matter for local health have three or four floors of authorities and that guidelines

dation will be reissued next year. The Government is If more residential committees were set up. as recommended by the DHSS unlikely under the present level of pressure to find any special guidelines but not encouraged locally, nurses could take more Money would not do any control over their own residencharm to nurses' hostels. It es. There is little anyone can do would, for example, make some about the architecture and there safe by rewiring them and is little chance of money from hygienic by repairing the plumbing. It is a scandal that the Government for major improvements but nurses could because they are crown prop-erty, hostels escape any regular at least be given the freedom to

Richard Dowden

paint over the cracks in the

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THE TIMES DIARY

On the rails

Though the Government has decided to appoint an outsider as part-time chairman of British Rail in succession to Sir Peter Parker, no appointment will be announced while BR's chief executive, Bob Reid, is absent on tour as president of the Chartered Institute of Transport. This civility, greater than sometimes shown to bosses in nationalized industries, reflects how Reid has commended himself in Government circles as author of the scheme dividing the railways into five separately accountable sectors. and by shedding 1.000 people a month. He will continue as chief executive while the Government decide, in the wake of the abandoned Serpell report, what they wantto do about the railways. The new environment secretary. Tom King. says he still has an icepack on his head at present.

Toot sweet

While relations between Herbert von Karajan and the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra remain tenser than a violin string, the pretty clarinettist who occasioned their discord is getting along well enough with her new colleagues. Sabine Meyer. whose appointment at the age of 22 as principal clarinettist was forced through by Karajan against a storm of male chauvinist protest, has just made her first recording it is of Mozart's clarinet quintet and a set of Weber variations, and she is accompanied, sweetly enough, by four of the orchestra's string players.

One-horse race

In the Sesion Benevolent Stakes. Sefton: The Horse for any Year, compiled by publisher Jeremy Greenwood of Quiller Press, took a quick lead with an immediate £5,000 advance royalties paid to the officer commanding the Household Cavalry Mounted Regiment to set up a fund for children of the cavalrymen killed in Hyde Park. More will follow. John Watson. author of Schon, The Story of a Cavalry Horse, and former commander in the Blues of Sefton's squadron has pledged £2,000 to the Household Cavalry's charitable funds, and his publishers. Souvenir Press. will be contributing an undisclosed proportion of their royalties. We could be about to witness the first photo-finish featuring only one horse.

BARRY FANTONI



Alas, I'd hoped for the part of man selling tickets at the door

Nobody nose . . .

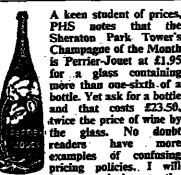
Following my adverse comments on the dreadful Drakkar Noir aftershave, à senior editorial executive at The Times crept up behind me and sprayed me with the stuff. You did not know that senior editorial executives at The Times were so playful. did you? The jape backfired though. For the rest of the day colleagues kept coming up to me and saying: "I don't see how you can criticize Drakkar. That awful pong you're wearing must be infinitely

Odoriferous

In my unavoidably smelly condition worried by this sentence in Roy Hatterseley's Punch column on newspaper coverage of Peter Adamson's trial: "Whether or not dog eats dog in Fleet Street, each of the hounds - the Crufts thoroughbreds hardly less than the RSPCA mongrels - feels an irresistible urze to sniff around the lamp-posts that others of the species have fouled". I spent the day trying to keep downwind of everybody.

Chariots of wire

Where do supermarket trolleys go to die? John Pfeffer of Colchester specializes in finding out and recovering the wayward contrap-tions, which cost £25 each. His latest haul from the river Chelmer was 100 trolleys, and he has salvaged more from car parks, waterworks, waste ground and people's houses in Colchester, Chelmsford and Ipswich. "I have seen children making go-karts out of them", he says.



PHS notes that the Sheraton Park Tower's Champagne of the Month is Perrier-Jouet at £1.95 for a glass containing more than one-sixth of a bottle. Yet ask for a bottle and that costs £23.50, twice the price of wine by the glass. No doubt have more examples of confusing pricing policies. I will pass on the most glaring, to the benefit, I hope, of all.

PHS is part of a sixteenth-century

Wanted: another Wilberforce

It is tragically ironic that many of the events being held to mark the 150th anniversary of the death of William Wilberforce are being organized by the Anti-Slavery Society. The greatest backbench reformer in parliamentary history would hardly have rejoiced to think that there was still a need for the society which he helped to found in 1823 though he would have rejoiced to think that it was still rigorously exposing the

exploitation of man by man. This week also marks the 150th anniversary of what Wilberforce fondly hoped was the culmination of his life's work: the passing by the British Parliament of a Bill abolishing slavery throughout the British Colonies. Though Britain, with its powerful and vigilant Navy and its mastery of the seas, could enforce the will of Parliament throughout those colonies, slavery flourished long after Wilberforce's death. Mauritania abolished slavery only three years ago - and in so doing set the seal on the universal abolition of the name - but the practice still persists.

Despite Mauritania's action, no date has yet been fixed for the agreed visit to that country of a team from the United Nations Human Rights Commission which has been charged with investigating the circumstances that have led to an estimated 100,000 people remaining as slaves in the West African State. Although there is no outright opposition to the international visit, the authorities have made the prevaricating suggestion that it would be inappropriate unless all the senior members of the Mauritanian government could be present.

Wilberforce knew these delaying tactics well. Wilberforce was subject to many a virulent attack by those who had a vested interest in the slave trade and today the Anti-Slavery Society suffers similarly. Re-cently the Philippine government lashed out after the publication of the society's report by Patrick Cormack

"The Philippines: Authoritarian Government, Multinationals and Ancestral Lands", which accuses the President Marcos administration of wholesale violation of the human rights of six and a half million tribal people. It was carefully researched, but that has not prevented the Philippine government from charging the society with producing "irresponsible and brazen lies".

Also of particular concern is the way in which the Haitian sugar workers are exploited. Those who worked in the eighteenth century plantations excited Wilberforce's special concern. Today thousands of Haitians are transported each year to the neighbouring Dominican Republic, and sold for the season for \$11 a head. The Duvalier family in Haiti were in 1979 paid \$70 dollars a labourer. The workers received \$1.30 for each ton of sugar-cane cut.

The Society's leaflet, "William Wilberforce's Work is not yet finished ... cites examples of exploitation in places as different as Beverly Hills, California, and the Republic of China. At the former, FBI agents arrested 10 people on slave-trading charges, accusing them of enticing at least 50 young Indonesians to the United States and selling them there as house servants. In January this year the Chinese police revealed that between 1976 and 1980 600 Zhuan women were abducted and held in conditions of slavery less than seventy miles from Peking).

We know that in Pakistan the police have arrested Bangladeshis on slave-trafficking charges as recently as March, and that month the Indian newspaper Current estimated that there were 3,000 child prostitutes in Bombay alone, with strong evidence of the organized kidnapping for the The author is Conservative MP for Staffordshire trade of young children from remote villages South.

in Nepal. We know, too, that in Bangkok children are bought for £45 to £75 to work in factories and brothels.

In India an estimated 6.5 million labourers are enslaved through the illegal system of debt bondage; and in Brazil poor people are enslaved through "the yoke" - a vicious system of entrapment through fake labour contracts, phony deductions from wages and false purchases from company

Wilberforce was able to campaign within a sovereign Parliament, knowing that his efforts could achieve success. Today, as we commemorate his achievements, we cannot fail to be daunted by greater difficulties of contemporary campaigners who must penctrate other sovereign states which are very much less democratic that pre-Reform Bill Britain What, for instance, of those countiess millions denied the elemetary rights, which we take for granted, in the Soviet Union and its satellites?

The modern backbencher is bound to wonder whether anyone today, entrapped by the harsh discipline of the party system, could ever achieve what Wilberforce achieved. In an article in The Times marking the centenary of his death. Trevelyan said of the 20 or 30 Evangelicals who gathered around Wilberforce, and who always put principles before party, that they looked to the facts of the case and not to the wishes of the minister".

Any backbencher who has ever gone igainst his party line on any issue has some idea of the difficulty of acting in that manner today, and yet, surveying the Parliament of 1983, one cannot help wondering whether it would not be a stronger and more democratic House were such a group to exist.

Living with hate in Hebron



Crowds of Israeli pacifists of the Peace Now movement on a protest march in Hebron

Jerusalem

An introverted and unfriendly city where 70,000 Palestinians live cheek by jowl with some 4.500 heavily armed and newly arrived Jewish cameramen can often be seen when the bearded settlers, complete with prayer shawls and shoulder-slung rifles, strut through the narrow streets to the Cave of Machpelah, the site holy to both them and the Islamic majority because it is the burial place of the patriarchs Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. The undisguised hatred of the onlooking Arabs provides just the type of

footage required. Tuesday's random attack on the Muslim university, widely believed to have been perpetrated by extreme Jews crudely disguised in Arab headgear, has apparently justified the news judgment of the network bosses: the stifling city on the edge of the Judean desert is now the crucible where the biblically inspired West Bank policy of the Begin govern-

ment will be most severely tested.
Unlike other heavily populated West Bank areas, Hebron is a place where the settlers actually live their daily lives among the Arabs, with whom most proclaim a wish for co-

So pleased is Ken Livingstone's

Greater London Council with its

subsidized bus and rail fares for

human commuters that it is

extending this travel service to

buildings of historical interest. A

sixteenth century Grade II listed peg-tiled barn will be the first to take

or rather sags, on London Transport land guarded by barbed wire and

sentry guards at Brockley Hill Farm,

near Stanmore in West London, and

the GLC wants to move it six miles

down the road to a farm museum in

Hillingdon. The cost of the ticket

will be at least £75,000 for

refurbishment, the council esti-

mates, plus as much again for expert

Even though the Department of

the Environment has given its

blessing, it is hard to see why the

GLC wanted to move the barn

which stands among other listed

buildings of similar age, in the first

place. Perhaps the council believes

the proud working-class structure

will be happier with other honest.

straightforward barns at the mu-

seum rather than with the effete

timbered farmhouse in whose

shadow it has spent the last 400

At Hillingdon it can meet other

barns, sheds and wickerwork struc-

tures, some of different ethnic

origins, and discuss with them the

horrible inequalities of the feudal

system. But the liberation of the

"Red Barn", as locals have dubbed

it, has not been without some

melodrama.
"We are horrified", said Stephen

Castle, of the Watford and South

West Herts Archaeological Society.

"It's the last timber-frame barn that

years.

transport and reassembly.

The dilapidated building stands.

advatage of the novel scheme.

by Christopher Walker

existence. The towering Jewish fear among the 800,000 Arabs who suburb of Kiryat Arba has sprouted searchlights and a permanent armed guard. It can have come as little surprise to Moshe Arens, the Defence Minister, as he conferred in Washington about Lebanon, to have heard that the most immediate security problem facing him was nearer home in Hebron - a city now more famous for intercommunal violence than for its glassware or

The question after the unprecedented attack which killed three students and wounded 33 more is whether he will now be able to maintain the reputation for fairness he has sought to cultivate among the Palestinians, most of whom deeply suspect his hawkish views. These were most openly expressed on the eve of his departure for America when he argued that the only defensible eastern border for Israel was the Jordan river. -

Mr Arens went on to predict that Israeli sovereignty would ultimately be applied to the 2,200 square miles of the West Bank - the overriding

now live there. Against this unneighbours. Hebron is now the a move into the city centre, where 20 abashed expansionism, the doubts fashionable location for visiting large Jewish families now live, of residents in cities like Hebron - television crews to 'take the pulse' of surrounded by the ugly parapher-the occupied West Bank. The nalia of occupation, barbed wire, they will be given a fair deal in respect of Jewish vigilante violence become understandable. A number of recent Israeli articles based on leaks from an official commission have demanded: Is there one law for Jews in the West Bank and another for Arabs?

The loud protestations of ministers that this suggestion is most certainly not true sound less convincing in the light of embarrassing facts about past incidents where the simmering dislike between Arabs and Jews has resulted in bloodshed. The most notable was the series of bomb attacks against three Palestinian mayors in 1980. which left two crippled and has so far resulted in no prosecutions

More recent was the aftermath of the brutal stabbing in Hebron on July 7 of Ashron Gross, a young Jewish religious student Politically, the government showed its bias not only by using it as a pretext to sack the acting Palestinian mayor and his council; but also by the method in which it was done. They were summoned to the military governor at midnight, sacked and then forced

There is no question that the Jews. of Kıryat Arba (a name first mentioned in Chapter 23 of the Book of Genesis) feel that the government is not giving them rocks thrown by the hostile Arab majority. That was graphically demonstrated to me last week when met their leader, Rabbi Moshe Levinger uncomfortably camping outside the Israeli headquarters to demand tougher security. "This is not an occupied area", he argued. "It belongs to the Jewish people."

But Palestinian leaders note bitterly that even though the government termed the occupation of a former Jewish hospital in the city centre in 1979 as illegal, nothing was ever done to prevent the rabbi's Brooklyn-born wife Miriam and 40 supporters from remaining there.

Only swift justice for the perpetrators of Tuesday's atrocity will belo calm the present dangerous level of tension, being held in check only by a blanket curiew of the area. and even that will do no more than reduce it to a level that still would be unacceptable in a similarly sized conurbation in almost any other part of the world.

Have barn, will travel . . .

Going places? Brockley Hill Barn near Stanmore

area. It's one of the only complete pre-Victorian farmsteads to survive in north Middlesex.

"If the council wants to spend all this money why can't it repair the barn where it is? If the GLC will not do it, sell the freehold to someone who is willing and able. I am very concerned they are depriving the borough of Harrow of a listed building to give it to Hillingdon."

Mr Castle thinks that the burghers

of Harrow should never have allowed London Transport, which bought the land to extend the Northern Line before the war, to let the barn fall into such a state and sentence it to a suburban museum, prowled by nasty children with sharp pen-knives.

Harrow council defended the GLC's Dr Barnados-for-barns plan. It has been said that the barn should be reinstated on the site". said a spokesman. "However, the site is owned by London Transport. which has a tenant on the farm. The tenant has a fully repairing lease but

complex of farm buildings in this is an old-age pensioner with no money".

In fact, the tenant is in much

worse straits. He is dead and has been so since spring. Unable now to help the former farmer, the GLC, itself listed for

demolition, is determined to rescue the old disabled barn. To do this, it has had to thwart a local capitalist who wanted to "privatize" the structure and repair it with his own money. This was obviously

Bob Hammersley, a property consultant, said: "I have been acting for Jeffrey Turland, a local businessman, to try to buy the barn for the last two years. He has been trying for five. We have offered more than £150,000 for the complete farm and would refurbish the barn. The tenant. Mr Holford, died in April.

"We have a letter from the GLC to Hugh Dykes, the MP for Harrow East, which said that the cost of repairing the barn on site would be ditch' solution. Moving, if done

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properly, would also cost twice as

Jack Richardson, the chairman of Stanmore and Harrow Historical Society, said: "I would rather this developer who has already renovated one barn on his land, repaired this one in situ. We want the farm kept together."

Since the old farmer died, campers have been using the Grade II timbers from the barn for fires. While the GLC fiddles, the barn burns.

Stephen Castle said the case gives cause for national concern. He added: "It is important that listed buildings be preserved where they are. To transfer them up and down the country is against the very idea of listing them".

Where will it end? The GLC may decide to relocate the Palace of Westminster in Plaistow to give MPs a taste of working-class life. Moving house would have a different meaning and Red Ken's barn could entertain the Mayor of Moscow's dacha or an IRA turf

longer than expected. This is plainly

not the age of the barn.

A GLC spokesperson said: "The private sector never came into the estion of the barn. Resources have just been earmarked to remove it and it could be started this week or in the near future. However, the barn will have to wait until the next financial year for money to be approved for its recrection. Eventually, possibly in 1985, it will be in public use in a farm museum and that was our prime consideration". As for many commuters the journey of a whole year is somewhat

Paul Pickering

David Watt

Domestic ills the doctor can't cure

The appointment of Dr Henry Kissinger as the chairman of the new American Commission on Central America is a very bad omen. I say this not out of any disrespect for Dr Kissinger. On the contrary, I regard him, for all his great personal. weaknesses, as the most creative and successful practitioner of international relations that the US has possessed since Dean Acheson and, for all I know, since Benjamin Franklin, He knows little or nothing about the subject of his inquity, but never mind. He is a fast learner. The trouble is simply that he has been appointed for the two worst reasons.

First, he has been appointed primarily to solve a domestic and not an external problem. The American foreign policy contensus has completely broken down on this issue. A Congress controlled by the Democrats is refusing to vote the money necessary for the fulfilment of the Administration's declared purposes in the area. Congress is, hesitant about throwing money into the training of the Government's army in El Salvador and even more loath to back right-wing guerrilles in the attempt to undermine the leftwing government of neighbouring Nicaragua. The resulting chaos is bad for American credibility both in Central America and in the world at large. But with a presidential election year fast approaching, it is bad for Ronald Reagan as well. Kissinger's primary function from the point of view of the White House is to tempt some prominent Democrats into playing a part in the commission and to report in such a way that the issue is at least partly defused before the first primary elections of 1984.

The substance of the matter is evidently less important than this that insofar as Kissinger is supposed to produce a genuine answer in Central America, his appointment testifies more to the desperation and confusion of the Administration than anything else. President Reagan's strategic objectives and Kissinger's qualifications simply do not

What the President says he wants in Central America is (a) to maintain US supremacy in its own backyard" and (b) to keep out the Russians. As more proximate aims he wants to prevent Nicaragua from becoming another Cuba and to civilise as well as stabilize the regime in El Salvador. It is highly debatable whether any of these goals can actually be achieved by any means at this late hour, but what is certain is that they are not within the reach of a "fixer" like Dr Kissinger, even in the most favourable circum-

stances, which these are not. To illustrate the point, let us suppose that Richard Nixon were President again and Kissinger his Secretary of State. Their first. approach to the problem would no doubt be to go straight to the top. "Yuri," Dr Kissinger would say to Mr Andropov. "you know me. Let's do a deal." And the deal would be some ingenious mixture of stick and carrot on a global scale - a say, to cause more trouble for the Russians in Afghanistan if they do not cease support for the Sandinista regime in Nicaragua and the antigovernment guerrillas in El Salvador, coupled with a vague promise of greater American flexibility in the Start talks in Geneva or a hint about

Soviet interests in the Middle East. This deal would be all very well except that it would not make the slightest difference on the ground in

Central America. The Sandinistas in Nicaragua, who are buying arms from all over the shop and not simply from the Russians, would continue to ship them across Honduras to the FMLN in El Salvador because they are nationalist revolutionaries, fundamentally opposed to the reimposition of an American suzerainty over the region and because indigenous social forces favour a revolt.

This failure would puzzle Mesers Nixon and Kissinger who would conclude from the evidence that the Soviets had cheated on their bargain rather than perfectiving that the bargain was virtually irrelevant to their regional problems. They would turn to, and try to do a deal instead with the Sandinista regime in Nicaragua - "We will give you lots of money if you will stop, and we will get the CIA to arm your rightwing opponents if you don't'.
Perhaps for a while this might have
its effect but the almost unanimous evidence of experts on the area is that, that would not solve the problem of El Salvador or stabilize Guatemala and Honduras because, once again, the problem has its roots deep in the history and abominable economics of the region.

The real position after 30 years of American neglect and local military misrule is that the American Administration faces a much starker choice. Either it must adopt the benevolent "hands-off" policy advocated by Mexico and other members of the Contadora group, recognizing that this may result in the region being dominated for a time by anti-Yongui and even Marxist nationalism; or it must go in for a share of serious superpower power force by the kind applied by the Soviet Union in Afghanistan or by the US itself in Guatemala in the 1950s.

There are the gravest drawbacks to this latter option, the most obvious of which is that military measures, even on a grand scale, might not work. The consequences of that would be a mini-Vietnam and another bitter division of American public opinion. On the other hand, if Central America is simply allowed to "go communist", which is how it will be presented by the right wing (and indeed how it will probably appear to President Reagan), what effect will that have on a sore, frustrated, volatile American public? We are still paying in a sense, for the humiliation suffered by the US in Vietnam and the prospect of another outburst of Latin American nationalism is appalling.

President Reagan, not unnaturally, wants to evade this logic which is why he has sent for Dr Kissinger, the master of the half-diplomatic, halfmilitary solution. What he has perhaps overlooked is the fact that Kissinger's supreme achievement was to extricate the US from Vietnam with less humiliation than might otherwise have been the case under a smokescreen of hopes and North Vietnamese promises that he never really believed. This, I take it, is not what President Reagan inteds in Central America; nor, indeed, could a second deliberate exercise in retreat be conducted with any

pretence of face-saving. Kissinger can gain time but he cannot hold back the tide of events by his methods nor on the evidence of his previous record does he have the political credibility or persuasive power to reconcile the American democracy to the requirements of a

Philip Howard

Britannia, a piece of Turkish delight

Rule Britannia, marmalade and

Five Chinese crackers. But aposiopesis, Philip. Stop being facetious. I had not thought much about Britannia until the other day. I knew that Frances Stewart, Charles II's mistress was the model for Britannia when she first appeared on our copper coinage in 1665. Pepvs: The king's new medall, where in little, there is Mrs Stewart's face. And a pretty thing it is, that he should choose her face to represent Britannia by." Frances was rewarded for her services to the Mint by being created Duchess of Richmond. I had imagined Britannia, when I thought about her, as being somewhat more robust than Frances Stewart; something like Mrs. Thatcher, wearing a coal scuttle on her head, holding a shield and trident, and belting it out at the last

night of the Proms. It came as something of a shock the other day to learn that they have just discovered the first sculptural representation of Britannia in ancient art in south-western Turkey of all places. And that far from being a victorious virago, our national eponymous deity is portrayed on her first appearance in art as barebreasted, semi-recumbent, having her hair pulled, and in a state of anguish and alarm, not surprising since she is about to have her head

I met the original Britannia at the summer school in Greek and Latin epigraphy at the Institute of Classical Studies in London. Well, the Editor likes his chaps to visit the front line, where the hard news is really at. And in any case the study of carvings on stone has a particular attraction for backs who write, if not in water, at any rate on flimsy grey paper that is used for lining drawers or lighting fires on the day after publication.

Epigraphy may seem to outsiders. a small and obscure fragment of scholarship. In fact there are an appallingly large number of recorded

inscriptions: perhaps half a million in Latin and Greek. And more turn up every day. It is a stone-field that has tended to be dominated by Germans of immeasurable learning. and Frenchmen of brutal acuity. The summer school was a timid English - or British, since the Scots are particularly well versed in epigraphy
- bid to be seen to be active in the Epigraphists descended on Lon-

don from the round earth's stony corners. The sensation of the party was Britannia, presented by Joyce Reynolds, reader in Roman history at Cambridge, and her sidekick, Charlotte Roueché. Joyce has been working since 1966 on recording for publication the inscriptions found during the current excavations at Aphrodisias in Caria, Aphrodisias is a city barely mentioned in any literary text. A decently informed Greats man of 20 years ago might, and indeed had, never heard of it.

In the late 1960s the excavators. led by Professor Kenan Erim, started to uncover a series of inscribed documents, recording the relations of the city with Rome from the middle of the first century BC. J. Caesar, anxious to make propaganda about his family connexion with Aphrodite, favoured the city named after the Goddess, Octavian, always quick to spot the main chance. carried on his uncle's policy. The stones of Aphrodisias have transformed our understanding of the relationships between ruler and ruled, solely on the basis of epigraphic material. Now they have uncovered a processional route leading to a temple of the imperial cult. The most remarkable sculptured relief, conveniently labelled, shows an improbably macho Claudius beating up poor old Britannia. It is the earliest figure of Britannia ever found. And it shows that she started her life, not as ruler of the waves, but as a racist insult, rather like Argie in the epigraphy of the DOD Dress today.



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TRUE AND FALSE PATRIOTS

ondon this week, Mr Peter y, the Irish Foreign Minisand Mr Gerry Adams, the playing member of Parliat for West Belfast, leave with e reason for satisfaction. Mr ms can savour the music of a ding ovation in the Finsbury n Hall. It is music of a rather ialized kind, made by Islingsocialists and members of don's Irish community who ally support the Armalite native, both species being ics in the political fauna of and.

r Adams may also derive a handed satisfaction from g told by the Home Secy that he will not be nitted to visit IRA prisoners nis island; for that may place at the centre of a fracas over amentary privilege and utive infringement, which is igrecable place for a polin in the business of tabilization" to be. Not all , will be happy to see their amary ex officio freedom of ss to prisoners, especially constituents, abridged. The that Mr Adams has not n, and has no intention of ng, the oath and therefore his in Parliament does not t the constitutional issue, in r as there is one. He may not r vote but he "is entitled to the other privileges of a ober (but not to his salary), g regarded, both by the se and by the laws, as ified to serve until some r disqualification has been

But Mr Adams is at least an abettor and political sponsor of a terrorist organization dedicated to the forcible detachment of part of the kingdom. For Irish republican prisoners imprisonment is a continuation of subversion by other means. To have Mr Adams in and out as comforter and coordinator is not acceptable on the grounds of security. Mr Brittan's ban is well merited. The considerations underlying it have more weight than parliamentary punctilio.

Mr Peter Barry's three days in England meeting ministers, members of Parliament and many others were for the primary purpose of lubricating relations between Ireland and the United Kingdom. These relations, in his words, "have gone through a difficult patch and they are now being fully normalized at the level of Government. The difficult patch is his delicate reference to the post Falklands chill induced by his predecessors in office in Dublin. The truth of his assertion that relations have warmed up again was attested by the one rabbit that was pulled out the hat for his visit.

This is the initiation of an Anglo-Irish Encounter organization, a non-governmental body to run conferences and seminars on cultural and social matters of common interest, a sort of green Koenigswinter. The idea is plucked from a disused section of the report of November 1981 of joint committees of British and Irish officials established by thankful that this one is somean earlier prime ministerial body else's.

meeting. It is the kind of worthy idea officials think of when they have to think of something. It is the kind of idea that has to wait for its natal day until harmony reigns once more. And it is the kind of idea that can scarcely alarm even the most conspiracyobsessed Ulster unionist (though perhaps one should not bet on

that). Mr Barry saw Sir Geoffrey Howe. There are important differences of interest between the United Kingdom and Ireland in the matters of the Community budget and agricultural spending. But they are not the sort of differences that need cloud the working relations of the two governments.

In a speech to the Anglo-Irish Parliamentary Group at West-minster Mr Barry expressed his government's concern for the health of the democratic process in Northern Ireland in view of Sinn Fein's progress at the polls. He ascribes this development to loss of faith in the political process on the nationalist side through repeated frustration of their hopes. He is now looking to his government's initiative in the form of the New Ireland Forum at Dublin Castle to do something to restore the Northern nationalists' confidence in the political process. Mr Prior will have listened to his elaboration of these thoughts with interest, and passivity. One initiative at a time is more than enough for that initiative-ridden province. Mr Prior may perhaps be

BEATABLE AND UNBEATABLE

's a rabbiting shame, Bunter", tested Bob Cherry with as much phasis as the exigencies of a stiff er lip would allow. "Just ouse your Pater's a beastly B'et, to get six of the best for raiding tron's pear-tree, while you were ght fair and square too, and all re getting is a thousand-lines l Trimakhio's Feast at that!" ner complocently tugged down usileout riding up over a gross of man Rights." he chortled. "It 3 100 must be let off if your rus have philosophical convicis. "An enticipatory flush rase to 1x Michaeld checks: "I wish some would ask me about my losaphica! convictions", he

vn to exist" (Erskine May).

a we may expect the dialogue A with variations approprito the Grange Hill idiom, if erday's plan for the future of toral punishment is enacted. idren have a primitive but ctilious sense of what is fair untair. Two punishments for same misdeed will not seem respecially if one consists of anvenience and the other of sical pain. Punishment seen untair breeds mistrust of the em, not respect.

—I is easy to appreciate the vernment's dilemma. Eightmonths ago the European ort of Human Rights found inst it in a cuse brought by Mish parents who objected to signing the European Conven-

the use of the tawse on their tion on Human Rights underdecision (which was concerned with parents' rights, not children's) only three courses were possible: to abandon corporal punishment in state schools; to make sure that parents everywhere were in reach of a state school where corporal punishment was banned; or to allow parents to opt out individually in schools that used the cane.

Britain is now the only country in Europe to sanction the use of the cane in its state schools. There is no compelling evidence that our children are naughtier than theirs. But many, perhaps most, parents and teachers still approve of the cane as a last resort punishment. The Government was therefore unwilling to ban it; and ensuring that all parents could find a school where it was not used was thought to be impossibly costly. So the Government fell back on parental discretion - a solution which the Scottish Lord Advocate rejected when putting the Government's case to the Court. on the excellent grounds that it was a fundamental principle that children in a school should be equally treated.

One other course was possible in theory - prevarication. States

children. To implement that take to abide by the Court's decisions in cases where they are parties. But the Court has no means of enforcing its decisions, and the sanction of expulsion from the Council of Europe (applied in the 1960s in the case of Greece) is in this context improbable. Only last week the Government made a mockery of a ruling of the other European Court in respect of EEC requirements on equal pay for women, nen an Order which made only

a token gesture towards implementation was moved by a iunior minister under instructions to make plain by his demeanour the Government's contempt for this aspect of Britain's treaty obligations.

It is to Sir Keith Joseph's credit that he has taken no such ignominious course. The steady flow of similar cases heading towards the Court would have made the attempt most embarrassing to sustain. The plan proposed is unsatisfactory to all parties though it is brought forward in good faith as a workable solution. The alternative is to ensure at the earliest practicable time, that parents have within range a school that does not use corporal punishment. In areas where there is only one school, it will have to be that one.

COLOMBO'S CRISIS

e news from Sri Lanka this ek has recalled the horrifying and leading up to the diviof India thirty-six years ago. e Hindu-Muslim-Sikh masses of that time are reflected in and bloodshed, arson, looting at has sent thousands of totent Tamils running for tely wherever they can find it. icy are, it must be emphasized, minority community whose itus as citizens of Sri Lanka ould be unquestionable. happily, ever since Sri Lanka came independent in 1948, the ment of Sinhalese nationalism \$ turned with envious anger this community that played a at in Sci Lankas political and Ofessional life under British te out of proportion to its unbers,

The most recent events have vialed a culpable bias on the at of the forces of order. Early ports of rioting in Colombo Hore censorship was imposed seed that the police were slow miervene. Reports of action s naval units in Trincomalce ad some recent army actions ave suggested that reprisals ere their aim, more likely to imulate than to pacify. Worse in this, evidence of official inhalese hostility to the Tamils as been the government's silve to respond to the palpable ension aroused two months ago then municipal and parliamenary by-elections were held. The lampaign was said to be more the civil was than an election. Since then violence has followed with action and reprisal until the incident last week when thirteen soldiers were killed in an ambush by Tamii terrorists. The government should have been better prepared than they seem strongest opposition party has

to have been for what has happened all over the country during the past week.

Needless to say, if one looks

back over the history of the last thirty-five years there is blame to be put on both sides in the struggle over the rights and status of the Tamil community. Only in the last few years have events brought on a crisis of which the outcome can only be tragic unless national sentiment can be pulled together to prevent it. On the one hand the Tamil United Liberation Front, now the main representative Tamil body, has been insistent in its demand for a separate Tamil state in the north of the island -Eclam - a demand which in the eyes of many Sinhalese has given new force to the long-standing conflict. To this has been added on the Tamil side the emergence of the terrorist youth group -Tamil Tigers - disappointed by the response to peaceful agitation. Already they have a record of murders of police. attacks on soldiers and an unyielding attitude of belligerence that has cowed some of the moderates in the Tamil parliamentary party.

This sharpening of the issue and of the line-up of forces has taken a different and unforeseen form in Sinbalese political life. In 1977 Mrs Bandaranaike's Sri Lanka Freedom Party lost heavily in the election that returned the right-wing United National Party led by Mr J R Jayewardene. Since then the SLFP has been further torn by a family split. With other opposition parties fading into small pockets. the leading, because numerically

been TULF. Thus the UNP, always the home of the strongest anti-Tamil feeling, has been the more uninhibitedly outspoken, thanks to its dominace in parliament. In October, under the terms of his own revision of the constitution, Mr Jayewardene stood for election as president and was handsomely returned. Two months later he called a referendum on his proposal to extend the life of the present parliament, and here again he collected his solid vote excepting only the total opposition of the Tamil electorate.

Unfortunately Mr Jayewardene's national popularity by no means extends to his party. He was aware of this at last year's election and he has since culled some of his less appealing supporters, but not enough to erase a strongly anti-Tamil flavour. The result is that the Tamil problem is not subject to sufficient opposition scrutiny in parliament. After last year's riots Mr Jayewardene saw the danger he faced as a politically dominant but lone leader of an unpopular party faced by increasing Tamil violence and increasing anti-Tamil fury. He then said that if he could not be proud of his party it would be better for him to retire from the leadership and make way for those who believed, as he put it, that the burning of innocent people and property was a way to solve the problems that faced Sri Lanka's multi-racial, multireligious, multi-caste society. Can he now, aged 77, lead Sri Lanka away from the path of growing communal violence that threatens it? It is hard to see any other political leader who could.

Reflections on a 70th birthday

From Sir Ian Gilmour, MP for Chesham and Amersham (Conserva-

Sir, In your article celebrating Mr Begin's birthday (*The Times*, July 23) you say that "the view from Jerusalem is now incomparably more healthy than it was when he became Prime Minister six years ago". And that "All in all Mr Begin at 70 has cause for satisfaction".

Let us look at his causes for satisfaction and the way in which the view from Jerusalem has been improved: in March, 1978, shortly after he became Prime Minister, Mr Begin sent the Israeli Army into South sent the tracti Army income southern Lebanon and, during a short campaign which achieved nothing, up to 2,000 Lebanese and Palestinian civilians were killed.

In July, 1981, he ordered his air force to bomb Beirut and another 300 civilians lost their lives. Last year he invaded Lebanon yet again in an operation that resulted in the destruction of much of Tyre, Sidon and Beirut, the massacre of hun-dreds of Palestinian refugees at Sabra and Chatila, and a casualty list estimated at more than 20,000 dead and 30,000 wounded, 90 per cent of whom were civilians.

This wholly unjustified and unnecessary war has cost the lives of more than 500 Israeli soldiers and brought Mr Begin considerable criticism from his fellow countrymen. Mr Shlomo Argov, the former Ambassador in London, has said that "only charlatans can say that the war was worthwhile".

Another cause of satisfaction for Mr Begin is, no doubt, his highly oppressive occupation of the West Bank and Gaza, his grabbing of thousands of acres of Arab land, and the brutal treatment of the Palestinian population (amply documented by the Israeli press and your Jerusalem Correspondent).

Those who believe that Israel's destiny lies in aggression and continued expansion will doubtless think that Mr Begin's sabotage of the Palestinian half of the Camp David Agreement and his immediate rejection of last year's Reagan Plan have made Israel's position "incom-parably healthier" than would a willingness to come to terms with the Palestinians

That such an article as "Mr Begin's birthday" can appear in The Times instead of a Zionist newspaper in New York clearly gives that gentleman further cause for satisfaction. The Arab world, as you rightly say, is in disarray and Israel is overwhelmingly the preponderant military power. Your suggestion that "the world should stand back a little and let raw facts do their work on local minds" is in these circumstances merely a discreditable formula for an unconditional surrender by the isolated and defenceless Palestinians.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant, IAN GILMOUR. House of Commons. July 26.

Conservation cuts

From Mrs Sheila Chapman

Sir. Auention has been drawn (Martin Caroe, June 27) to the apparent lack of interest manifested by the Crafts Council in its highly successful conservation sponsorship. This is still a disaster, Expert and well trained conservators are still in short supply and when trained almost invariably find satisfactory employment

The National Association of Decorative and Fine Arts Societies (NADFAS), a large voluntary body which provides assistance with many projects through its voluntary conservation corps, depend on teaching by experts to enable them to do useful primary jobs in houses and churches. Their adviser in library conservation was trained with the aid of the Crafts Council and without his advice they would be at a loss for careful scientific guidance. The tasks for which the national museums are responsible are already so vast that there is little time for assistance to the willing volunteer, so that continued support from the Crafts Council is essential.

NADFAS deplores the change of policy which eliminates the support for conservation training.

Yours etc. SHEILA CHAPMAN, Chairman, The National Association of Decorative & Fine Arts Societies, 38 Ebury Street, SW1. July 11.

No economic upturn From Professor F. H. Hahn, FBA

Sir, Suppose 364 doctors stated that there is "no basis in medical theory or supporting evidence" that a man with an infection will be cured by the administration of toad's liver. Suppose, none the less, that the man is given toad's liver and shows signs of recovery. Mr Congdon (July 14) wants us to conclude that the doctors were wrong. This is slightly unfair since Mr Congdon provides a "theory" of how toad's liver may do good to the patient.

He argues that the recovery (in the economy) which he detects is due to the buoyancy of the mortgage business, which he ascribes to lower nominal interest rates. The theory which he develops is entirely Keynesian: the recovery is coming about through increased consumer demand and by the activation of liquid assets.

He does not predict that this may again increase prices, lower the exchange rate or cause balance of

The letter on Monday on Richmond rates was from Councillor S. Grose, Chairman of the Policy and Resources Committee, not Councillor J. Sanders-

Social importance of Pill ruling

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From Lord Devlin

Sir. The case of Gillick v West Norfolk Health Authority. on which you have just written an illuminating editorial (July 27) may well be socially the most important to come before the courts in this decade.

It is universally agreed that the upbringing of a child up to a certain age, in this case 16, must be subject to control. in the nature of things this must be either parental or state control i think it to be the general belief that except in cases where parental control has clearly broken down, or where Parliament has clearly provided to the contrary, it is parental control.

This, although the law has not formally declared it as such, is a matter of public policy. At a time when courts of law were exceptionally timid someone arbitrarily said that the heads of public policy at common law must be taken to have been settled for ever somewhere

about the turn of the century.

Lord Radcliffe, in my opinion the greatest lawyer of his generation, would not accept that. In a lecture on "The law and its compass" he described the law on public policy as meaning "that there are some things the law will not stand for" and as "expressing those inner convictions that sustain the system itself".

He wrote: "We all feel that there are relationships arising out of human institutions which deserve special protection from outside invasion or even voluntary relinquishment": and he instanced first "marital and parental relationships".

I hope that in this case, if it goes further, or in one to come, the argument will not be restricted to speculation as to whether or not a crime may be committed or a trespass to the person. I hope also that the common law will be found still capable of giving an answer to the question of whether it is the parent or the health authority who is to decide whether or not a child under 16 is to be provided with the means of sexual promiscuity. Yours etc.

DEVLIN, West Wick House,

Pewsey, Wiltshire.

From Dr E. S. B. Wilson Sir. The recent attempt to obtain an injunction on doctors prescribing

Manpower reductions From the Director General of the

Sir, Before it becomes folklore that the CBI is calling for 360,000 sackings in the public sector, may I be allowed to state what the CBI did say and why? This may be helpful to the Leader of the Opposition, Mr Foot, and one of the candidates for

The scale of the cuts in manpower necessary to get spending down depends on how successfully the Government controls spending else-

Dadd painting

From Mr Laurence N. Mann Sir, I read with little surprise the letter (July 18) in connexion with the proposed export of the Dadd painting "Contradiction. Oberon and Titania" by the Archivist of the Bethlem Royal Hospital and others.

It would not be unreasonable to say that whenever a work of art is threatened with sale to a foreigner, and export from this country, there is a chorus of voices acclaiming the merits of the painting (which in many cases has been gathering dust for a century or two), and bewailing the denuding of the nation of these precious canvasses.

In this case, these worthy correspondents have suggested that the public raise just over half a million pounds to prevent the picture from falling into the hands of whatsoever barbarian has acquired

Would it be out of place to criticise this insular approach to the preservation of art treasures? The

payment problems. But then sup-

pose the Government gave everyone

a gift of newly printed money, would

not demand increase as well? No.

say the monetarists, because every-

one seeing the higher money stock

will expect a rise in prices and

interest rates and so this will in fact

happen, and nothing "real" will be

If this is true (and it might be) it is

almost entirely due to the effect monetarists and City pundits have

had on people's expectations. For if

people held "Keynesian expec-

tations" Mr Congdon's multiplier

analysis would apply to this case

also. As incomes rose the higher

money stock would be willingly held

at the old interest rate on immacu-

to be a Kevnesian in locating the

causes of recession in insufficient

demand, he should also be able to

Thatcher's policies would lead to a

steady fall in GNP for ever - even

So, since Mr Congdon turns out

late quantity equation grounds.

without parental consent appears to me to be based on a totally false assumption. Families are held together by love, not the law. Parental love must embrace respect

dence of the child.

for the individuality and indepen-

Children are not possessions, neither are they juvenile expressions of their parents. They learn by example not exhortation. When an adolescent girl is involved in a sexual relationship which she wishes to conceal from her mother, the family unit is already showing signs of breakdown. Trust is no longer

The doctor is merely trying to protect the girl from the possible harmful effects of that breakdown. In my experience confrontation between the girl and her parents, when total compliance with their views is demanded only results in sullen resentment, deceit and worsening of the family relation-

Parents who temper their shock and dismay with understanding are usually surprised to discover their daughters are not nearly such abandoned young hussies as they fear. Frequently, with time and patience, the girls and their families come to realise that these early adolescent adventures are a rather extreme form of teenage rebellion which is left behind with growing maturity, but this happy outcome is only likely if the relationships within the family have not been broken beyond repair.

Yours faithfully ELIZABETH S. B. WILSON, 11 Westbourne Gardens.

From Dr F. M. Ulyatt

Sir. Your balanced leader, "Parents and the Pill" (July 27) might be taken to imply that the prescription of a contraceptive pill would reduce the risk of a young girl contracting venereal disease. This is un-fortunately not the case. Unwanted pregnancies might be avoided, but the possibility of promiscuity would greatly add to the risk of infection. Yours etc.

FRANCESMARGARETULYATT,

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higher interest rates and taxes will

damage the private sector's ability to

employ people and would push up

If resources can be switched from

wages to capital projects like roads,

bridges and much needed sewers,

the take-up in the construction

industry would be rapid and

beneficial to the economy as a

The CBI believes there should be

wider public debate on these

matters and does not think this is

assisted by the whipping up of

emotions, particularly since the general election is over.

unemployment

Yours sincerely.

Director General

TERENCE BECKETT,

where and the amount of growth in the economy. The target is to get overall Government spending down. We fear that unless the share of

Confederation of British Industry Government spending is reduced do not believe our proposals will cause unemployment, Indeed, if action is not taken to hold down the the deputy leadership, Mrs share of Government spending then

Dunwoody, among others. The CBI Council restated (on Wednesday, July 20) targets for manpower reductions in the Civil Service, the local authorities and National Health Service. The CBI first published the same figures which were in line with the Government's published estimates in its Working Party Report on Government Expenditure in 1981.

They indicate the scale of efficiency improvements which the CBI believes to be achievable. We have shown this can be done over a four-year period without redun-dancies. We believe our aim can be achieved by natural wastage and only filling one vacancy in every

Confederation of British Industry. Centre Point 103 New Oxford Street, WCI. world is now a smaller place than at any time before: a picture in a private gallery in England is no less or more accessible to the public than that picture in New York, or Paris, or even California. Our art heritage, a combination of native talent and wise purchases from abroad, was acquired at a time when this country

was able to wield a disproportionate

degree of purchasing power in comparison to its population. Now that we are an average nation, perhaps we should recognise that the open market forces in the art world should not be restrained, with the result that we are lumbered with pictures which cannot be shown to the public through lack of space, and the rest of the world is deprived of the opportunity of enjoying the fruits of the labours of such as Richard Dadd.

Yours faithfully. LAURENCE MANN, 31 Braemar Avenue, Purly Oaks, Sanderstead, Surrey.

she (and her advisers) may find this difficult to engineer. What they said was that there were no reasons to suppose that her policies would bring about a level of activity which would make reasonably full use of the country's resources, including labour. On this Mr Congdon is silent. Not so those who have been predicting the medium-term future;

they are all very pessimistic. There is a good deal more to say. But I conclude with the observation that it is a central doctrine of the "new macro-economics" that no systematic monetary policy can have any lasting real effects on the economy. It was Friedman who was amonest the first to arene that the long-run Phillips curve is vertical. Even in the short run it is argued by the monetarists that systematic monetary policy can only be effective if some prices and wages are "sticky" but such stickiness is

work out the Keynesian doctrine of considered to be short-lived. inbuilt stabilisers". The latter have These economists are to Mrs always included a lower interest rate Thatcher what Marx is to Marxian as output and demand fell. But economists. She has not understood included also are declining tax them. Mr Congdon's understanding of either side of the argument seems receipts and the likely contracyclical behaviour of real wages.

The 364 did not argue that Mrs very insecure.

Yours faithfully, FRANK HAHN, 16 Adams Road, Cambridge.

All British Gas and profits contraceptives to girls under 16

From Lady Burton of Coventry Sir, it really is very difficult for the ordinary domestic consumer to comprehend, let alone understand.

British Gas has doubled its profits to £665m and I am told that that more and more customers are finding it difficult to pay their bills. Apparently the series of price rises has been so profitable to British Gas that, in addition to the £665m profit the board has paid a levy of £470m to the Government Indeed, as stated in the article by Jonathan Davis in today's Times (July 27) the profits of the Gas Board "were greater than those of ICI, Beecham

and Marks & Spencer combined."

Sir. that sounds excellent but what str. that sounds excellent but what about us, the ordinary domestic consumer? Surely we merit some reduction in price. Those who are having difficulty in paying their bills, those who manage with effort and sacrifice elsewhere, to do so are const to look arkanes at a prosecular to look arkanes are a look are a going to look askance at a profit that has doubled and to which we have all had to contribute when we read (again from Jonathan Davis) British Gas is understood, however, to be working on the basis of a price increase in October in line with the rate of inflation. This would be between 4 and 5 per cent."

Oh no! This is just not good enough. Are we to pay more and more however big the profits? To a non-financial expert, but domestic consumer, this seems to be the economics of the madhouse and I think that we should protest.

Yours faithfully, BURTON OF COVENTRY, House of Lords,

Jobs for doctors

From Mr R. T. J. Holl-Allen and Mrs 1. Barnes

Sir. Recent reports have suggested that some 2,000 doctors are unemployed. This hospital, in common with many others, has advertised short, and longer-term non-consultant locum appointments. Virtually no applications have been forthcoming for the posts in many of the hospitals.

Is medical unemployment a myth. put forward to exert pressure on a government, or are doctors, rightly or wrongly, being selective in the type of post for which they wish to apply? Certainly, there is no shortage of good applicants for established positions, but what happens to the unsuccessful candi-

dates? Yours, etc. then the business base of the economy, which has had to accept painful cutbacks, will not be able to R. T. J. HOLL-ALLEN. Consultant Surgeon, I. BARNES, Medical Staffing continue carrying the overheads. We Officer.

East Birmingham Hospital,

Fine arts cutbacks

ment

From Mr G. Grainge Sir, I am grateful to Mr John Brine and his distinguished co-signatories for their support (July 23) for the Fine Art Department at Ravensbourne College of Art and Design, I must, however, offer some com-

Firstly, it has been Bromley Council's practice over the years to support Government policy (whatever the government in power), in particular in financial policy. The 10 per cent reduction exercise being conducted by the national advisory body is, however, at this stage an investigation only. Secondly, Bromley Education Committee have consistently made clear their view that reductions in expenditure of the order of 10 per cent are neither necessary nor desirable in the case of colleges in Bromley.

Thirdly, Ravensbourne College of Art and Design, as a matter of deliberate policy, has, over a period of some eight years, become progressively more cost-effective and can now claim to be as costeffective as any comparable institution in the country.

Fourthly, any response to suggested reductions in expenditure of the order suggested by the national advisory body can only, in the case of Ravensbourne College, be at the cost of course provision. It is simply not possible to make reductions of the order suggested without affecting the quality of provision of what are degree courses to an unacceptable

The committee therefore had the agonising decision of indicating a preference between courses and specifically between the communications engineering course, which is unique and has an important role to play in an increasingly technological society, and fine art, which it is accepted has a particular place in colleges of art and design but is available in other colleges within the London area.

After careful consideration, detailed discussion and a thoughtful debate the committee decided that should the Secretary of State in the event require a 10 per cent reduction in expenditure at Ravensbourne College of Art and Design, then it would be prepared to meet that reduction by closing the fine art degree course. It was not a decision sought by the committee and it was not one they found easy to take. It was agonising and by no means unanimous,

G. GRAINGE Director of Education London Borough of Bromley. The Town Hall, Widmore Road, Bromley, Kent.

Flagging hopes

Yours faithfully,

From Mr John Penman Sir, Could not the Union Jack at the Moy meat plant (report, July 27) be flown at half-mast, in mourning for sanity? Yours faithfully.

JOHN PENMAN, Forest View, Upper Chute, Andover, Hampshire.



COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT CIRCULAR.

July 28: His Excellency, Monsieur July 25: This and Madame Caillat were received in farewell andience by The Queen and took leave upon His Excellency relinquishing his appointment as Ambassasdor Extra-ordinary and Plenipotentiary from Switzerland to the Court of St James's. The Hon Ivor Lucas (Her Maicsty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Damascus) and the Hon Mrs Ivor Lucas had the honour of being received by

the Queen. Mr Wilfred Jones (British High Commissioner to the Republic of Botswana) and Mrs Jones had the honour of being received by Her

The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh gave a luncheon party for The President of the Republic of the

The following had the honour of being invited: Madame Marie Zinsou. His Excellency Monsieur Simoon Aké (Foreign Minister). His Canallance, Managara La Gayrer. Simeon Ake (Foreign Minister), His Excellency Monsieur Le Gouverneur Guy Nairy (Director of the Cabinet), His Excellency the Ivorian Ambassador and Madame Essienne, the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs and Lady Home of the Hirsel, General Sir John and Lady Hackett, Sir Reginald and Lady Smith. Sir William and Lady Rees-Moge, Mr and Mrs Peter Bates. Mr and Mrs Henry Lambert, Mr and Mrs Paul Snell and Mr and Mrs Paul Snell and Mr and Mrs John Willson.

The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh this evening attended a Reception at Guildhall to mark the 75th Anniversary of the Guild of Freemen of the City of London. Her Majesty and His Royal Highness were received on arrivally the Right Hon, the Lord Mayor (Sir Anthony Jolliffe) and the Master of the Guild (Mr David Eldridge).

The Marchioness of Abergavenny, the Right Hon Sir Philip Moore and Squardron Leader Adam Wise

ere in attendance. The Duke of Edinburgh, Colonelin-Chief. The Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, this morning at Buckingham Palace received Major-General R F Vincent (Representative Colonel Commandant). The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark

Phillips visited Essex today.
Having been received by Her
Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Essex
(Admiral Sir Andrew Lewis), Her
Royal Highness visited Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford and opended the Scanner suite. The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark

Phillips having been entertained at luncheon later toured the factory of

Afterwards Her Royal Highness Wed opended and toured the Essex am.

Autistic Society's New Centre at Peldon Old Rectory, Peldon.

July 28: The Princess Margaret Countess of Snowdon, President of

the Girl Guides Association, today visited the International Camp at Coedarhydyglyn, South Glamorgan, Her Royal Highness, who travelled in an aircraft of the Queen's Flight was attended by Lady Juliet Townsend.

KENSINGTON PALACE July 28: Princess Alice Duchess of Gloucester was present this afternoon at a performance of the Royal Tournament, at Earls Court. Miss Jean Maxwell-Scott was in

attendance. The Queen will hold investitures at Buckingham Palace on October 20.

Today is the second anniversary of the marriage of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

Princess Anne president of the Save the Children Fund, will a fashion show in aid of the fund, to celebrate the 150th anniversary of Gieves and Hawkes Malvern branch in the

Winter Garden, Malvern, on Princess Anne will visit Bristol Grammar School on October 5 and open a teaching block built to commemorate the 450th anniver-

controller the 430th anniver-sary of the granting of the school's charter by King Henry VIII she will later dine with officers of the Royal Artillery at Woolwich. Princess Anne, president of the Save the Children Frund, will attend the annual branches conference and annual public meeting at Queen Elizabeth Hall on October 6.

The Duke of Gloucester, Patron, Homocopathic Trust for Research and Education, will visit the Homocopathic Hospital, Tunbridge Wells, Kent and attend a garden party to mark the hospital's eightieth anniversary, on September 15.

The Duke of Gloucester, Royal Patron. British Association of Friends of Museums, will visit Cardiff to attend their fifth biennial conference at University College on September 16 and, in the evening, he will attend a reception to mark the tenth anniversary of the National Museum of Wales.

Memorial services for Mr Samuel Goodenough will be held at Broadwell Church, nr Lechlade, Gloucestershire on Saturday, September 17 at 3.00 pm and at St George's Church, Hanover Square on Tuesday, September 27 at noon. The funeral of James Montgomery Archibald, Master of the Bowyers' Company, will take place at St Botolph-Without-Bishopsgate on Wednesday, August 3, 1983 at 11.00

Peidon Old Rectory, Peldon.

The princess Anne, Mrs Mark
Philips, attended by Mrs Andrew
Feilden, travelled in an aircraft of
The Queen's Flight.

KENSINGTON PALACE
July 28: The Princess Margaret.

HM Government
Mr Malcolm Rifkind. Minister of
State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs. was host at a
luncheon given at Admiralty House
yesterday in honour of the High Commissioner for the The Gambia.

West Africa Committee The West Africa Committee gave : luncheon at the Charing Cross Hotel yesterday in honour of Sir Mervyn appointment as High Commissioner in Nigeria. Mr E. C. Judd, chairman, presided.

Reception

Corporation of London

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh attended a reception in Guildhall yesterday evening given by the Guild of Freemen of the City of London in celebration of the 75th November 1, 3, 8 and 30 and anniversary of their foundation Among those present were:
The Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayorese;
the Sheriff's and their lades, the Master of
the Chief of Presented the City of London,
Mr. Child of Presented of the City of London,
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Mr. Kennach V Douglass, and Mr. Douglass,
Mr. Kennach V Douglass, Lapiny Bernard L.
Morgan, the Junior Warden, Mr. Chifford E.
Adams, and Mrs. Adams and the Clerk, Mr.
Davis Reid, and Mrs. Reid.

Dinners HM Government

Baroness Young, Minister of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, was host at a dinner given at I Carlton Gardens yesterday in honour of the Foreign Minister of Turkey, Mr Ilter Turkmen. Actuaries' Company

The Actuaries' Company held its annual installation dinner at Merchants Taylors' Hall yesterday. The new Master, Mr K. J. Burton. presided and the principal guest and speaker was Sir Alec Atkinson. The Junior Warden, Mr J. R. Haig also spoke. The guests included: Lord Greenhill of Harrow. Be Masters of the Society of Apothecaries and the Chartered Surveyor's Tallow Chandlers'. Barbers' and Class-Seilers' Companies.

Service dinner

RAF Regiment
Air-Vice-Marshal H. Reed-Purvis
Commandant-General of the Royal
Air Force Regiment, who is retiring
from the RAF, was dined out by
officers of the Royal Air Force
Regiment at a dining in night beld at
the RAF Regiment the RAF Regiment Depot, RAF Catterick, last night. Squadron Leader P. W. Haynes presided.

Soirée

Fellowship of Engineering The seventh annual sointe of the Fellowship of Engineering was held at the National Maritime Museum. Greenwich, yesterday evening, the theme being maritime engineering.
The president, Viscount Caldecote, received 250 fellows and guests. On view during the evening were the Centenary Exhibition of the Royal Corps of Naval Constructors and exhibits supplied by fellows.

Science report

New step to combat cancer

been made in recent years in logist can identify the changes progress in detecting the early stages of the disease, when it is most susceptible to relatively simple treatment, has been slow.

Doctors at four major London hospitals are now trying a new test that reveals mallignant changes in cells before they become cancerous. The tests are being done on cervical smears.

The procedure offers potentially the most significant advance in screening for a decade, and it should be applicable for examining cells of the breast and other organs.

The method of analysis has been perfected by Dr Andrew Sincock, a cell biologist, and Dr Jeffrey Middleton, a computer specialist, at Queen Elizabeth College, London University, under a research projext supported by a fund called Quest for a Test for Cancer. The details of the test are described in a current issue if the International Journal of

Dr Sincock reports that

While great strides have months before a skilled patho-

The method is based on a long-established laboratory procedure, called a Feulgen reaction, devised over 50 years ago to stain purple the nuclei of cells so that they can be looked at under the microsope. Dr Sincock used the method to look at a specific part of the DNA in the nuclei.

Under normal circumbound with other structures within the nucleus. Very little is stained. But the nucleus of a pre-malignant cell takes up the cell grows more actively its

cross between a microscope micron in diameter, is passed down a microscope focused on potentially malignant cells can a stained nucleus. To oscillat-would be detected in cervical smears ing mirrors cause the beam to best.

scan across the nucleus some 60 times. Every fraction of a the treatment of cancer by surgery, radiotherapy laser beams, ultrasonics and drugs, ultrasonics and drugs, beams, ultrasonics and drugs, beams, ultrasonics and drugs, under the computer's beams, ultrasonics and drugs, under the computer that the computer the computer the computer the computer that the computer the co memory.

The computer can be programmed to display immediately the number of nuclei that are abnormally stained. This straightforward cytochemical test means that many samples can be quickly and accurately analysed by relatively inexperienced technicians.

The only equipment for the analysis is that built for stances the DNA is tightly research at Queen Elizabeth College. The scientists are using it to screen cervical smears for specialists at pre-malignant cell takes up Westminster, Middlesex, four to five times more dye than a normal cell, and when George's hospitals. A complete clinical system for hospital use in the process of transforming would cost about £25,000 and into tumour, then more DNA be capable of screening for would cost about £25,000 and is released to absorb purple about 50 people a day. .

stain. In addition to cervical

The absormal staining is smears, preliminary studies measured with an integrating have been made in analysing micro-densitometer which is a cells fron a breast biopsy. Dr Sincock says the type of and a spectrophotometer information provided by the booked up to a microcomputer. cell analysis could provide A beam of light, about half a doctors with important new guide for judging the type of treatment to which a tumour would be likely to respond

Forthcoming marriages

Mr D. O. Kinloch and Dr S. de Loes

The engagement is announced between David Oliphant, only son of Sir John Kinloch, Bt, and Lady Kinloch, Aldie Cottage, Kinross, Kinross-shire, Scotland, and Sabine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs Phillipe de Loes, 5 Rampe de Cologny, 1223 Cologny, Geneva, Switzerland.

Mr R. P. Barclay and Miss K. S. Deas

the engagement is announced between Robert, son of Mr and Mrs Brian Barclay, of Regent's Park, London, and Kim, daughter of Mr R. P. Deas and the late Mrs B. J. Deas of Farmham Surger. Deas, of Farnham, Surrey.

Mr T. L. Kay and Miss K. M. Gottlieb

The engagement is announced between Timothy Laurence, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Colin Kay, of Remuera, Auckland, New of Remuera, Auckland, New Zealand, and Karen Mila, daughter of Mr Stephen Gottlieb, of Chelsea, London, and Mrs Sheelagh Payne, of East Horsley, Surrey.

Dr A. W. Harrop-Griffiths and Dr J. L. Feldman

The engagement is announced between Alan William, younger son of Mr and Mrs H. Harrop-Griffiths, of Newport, Gwent and Jane Louise, daughter of Dr and Mrs S.

Mr J. P. Marriage and Miss C. J. Ste. C. Williams The engagement is announced between Jeremy, son of Mr and Mrs Peter Marriage, of Woking, Surrey, and Caroline, eldest daughter of the late Mr R. O. M. Williams and of Williams, of Currie, Midlo-

Mr M. W. Stilwell and Miss C. E. Bastrup-Birch

The engagement is annou between Matthew, second son of Mr and Mrs Henry Stilwell, of 4 Mederoft Gardens, London, SW14, and Charlotte, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Kieldsen-Jensen, of

Mr R. M. Wyatt and Miss S. E. Ross Russell

The engagement is announced between Robert Michael, son of Mr and Mrs A. T. Wyatt, of Collops Farm, Stebbing, Essex, and Sarah Elizabeth, daughter of Dr and Mrs L Ross Russell, of Little Beldams, Bishop's Stortford, Hertfordshire.

Mr J. C. T. Petry and Miss K. L. Thouspees

The engagement is announced between John Charles Tidmarsh. Son of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Petry, of Adel Lane, Leeds, West Yorkshire, and Karen Lesley, daughter of Mr and Mrs Owen E. Thompson, of Dehra, Wentworth,

Marriages

and Mrs D. J. Blackburn The marriage took place quietly at

Epsom on July 23, 1983, between Mrs Debra Blackburn (née Wood-

and Miss M. L. J. Stevens

The marriage took place on Saturday, July 23, 1983, at Holy Trinity, Bracknell, between Mr Simon (Jonathan) Oliver, and Miss The Rev Alan Smithson officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Joanna King, Heather Oliver, Rachel Fowler and Anna Fowler, Mr Timothy Oliver was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The honeymoon will be spent in Greece.

Latest appointments Latest appointments include:

Mr Michael Daiv to be Ambussade (non-resident) to Chad, in succession to Mr A. C. D. S. Macrac. Mr Daly will be based in London. Mr Philip McKearney to be Ambassador to Romania, in succession to Mr P. C. H. Holmer, who is retiring from the Diplomatic

Mr John Shakespeare to be Ambassador to Peru, in succession to Mr C. W. Wallace, who will be taking up a further Diplomatic

Mr Brian R. Horton to be a directo Sir John Tilney to be president of

the Airey Neave Memorial Trust.

Birthdays today

Professor Patricia Clarke, 64; Mr Justice Michael Davies, 62; the Dowager Duchess of Devonshire, Be: Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Ervine-Andrews, VC. 72: Mr J. Grimond (life peer), 70; Mr David Horner, 83: the Marquess of Normandy, 71: Miss Marguerite Pereira, 62: Sir Eric Riches, 86: Visconnt Bidley 58: General Sir. Viscount Ridley, 58; General Sir Neil Ritchie, 86; Lord Scarman, 72; Lord Weinstock, 59.

Girdlers' Company

The following have been elected officers of the Girdlers' Company for the ensuing year; Master: Viscount Brentford; Upper Warden: Mr I. P. R. James: Middle Warden: Captain G. M. A. James, RN: Renter Warden: Mr M. H. W.

Scriveners' Company

The following have been elected officers of the Scrivenirs' Company for the ensuing year:
Master: Mr R. A. D. Urquhart;
Upper Warden: Mr C. J. Malim;
Renter Warden: Mr N. R. R. Smith;
Clerk; Mr H. J. W. Harman. like a pagoda under its unseasonal covering of plastic

Law Report July 29 1983

Westminster cover-up: The Big Ben clock tower looking

sheeting and scaffolding during the extensive renovation of

the Palace of Westminster.

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Employer of solicitor's clerk

son, Mr H. Jenkins and Mr M. E. Sunderland

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[Judgment delivered July 26] was offered articles by Mr Malnick.
A solicitor's articled clerk was held to be entitled to bring a claim of unlawful sex discrimination started work but before the deed of [Judgment delivered July 26] against the firm of solicitors which

employed her. The Employment Anneal Tribunal held that articled clerks enjoyed a dual capacity in being articled to a partner and employed by a firm. Had the articled clerk been employed by the partner rather than the firm she could not have brought a claim, since section 6 (3) (b) of the Sex Discrimination Act 1975 excluded claims against someone employing fewer than five

The appeal tribunal allowed an appeal by Miss Lisa Oliver, from a decision of a London industrial tribunal last August, who dismissed her complaint of unlawful discriminer complaint of unlawful discrim-nation against J. P. Malnick & Co, a firm of solicitors. She had appealed on the ground that the industrial tribunal had erred in law in holding that she was employed by her principal alone and not by the firm, and that they had no jurisdiction to and that they had no jurisdiction to hear her complaint.

Miss Cherie Booth for Miss
Cliver, Mr Donald Broatch for the

MR JUSTICE BROWNE-WILKINSON said that the case raised a question of some import-

In November 1981 Miss Oliver articles was executed she discovered that a male articled clerk in the same firm had a salary of £4,500. Her request for equality of salary

was rejected and she left the firm.

At the hearing before the industrial tribunal counsel for the firm of solicitors submitted that articles of clerkship were a personal contract between the clerk and the individual partner to whom he was articled and as Mr Malnick personally employed fewer than five employees he was exempted from

liability under the Act.

The industrial tribunal held that Miss Oliver was employed by Mr Malnick personally and not by the firm. They considered that a contract of apprenticeship was a contract of employment between the named parties and as such was strictly personal to those parties.

nature of articles of clerkship generally were such that in all cases the conclusion had to be that the clerk was employed by the the industrial tribuna individual solicitor and not the considered on its merits.

and Training Committee of the Law Society. His evidence was that in 1977 a working committee had considered the position of articled clerks. In their report it was stated that articled clerks had a dual capacity in being articled to a partner and employed by a firm.

Specimen notes on offering articles drawn up by the Law Society referred to a model notice setting out the terms of employmen which it was envisaged would be given to the articled clerk in addition to his articles. That notice was drawn on the assumption that the clerk would be employed by the firm as district from his principal.

It was clear from the fresh evidence that the dual system involving a training contract with the principal (the articles of clerkship) running concurrently with the contract of employment with the firm was the normal

arrangement.

If that evidence had been available before the industrial tribunal they would have reached a different conclusion.

although there were factors pointing to the firm being the employer, the nature of articles of classics.

Apart from two factors all the evidence in the case pointed to Miss Oliver having been engaged as a constitution. She was employed by the firm and the case would be remitted to

orn.
On appeal further evidence had
Solicitors: Fisher Meredith; J. P.
Malnick and Co.

OBITUARY MISS GLADYS MITCHELL Popular crime novelist

Mitchell, whose detective stories have been popular for over five decades, has died at the age of \$2. She wrote as Gladys Mitchell, and also as Stephen

Hockaby and Malcolm Torric. Born in Cowley, Oxfordshire on April 19 1901, she was the daughter of James and Annie Mitchell. Her father's family were Scots, and a Scottish influence is apparent in several of her novels. Gladys Mitchell was educated at the Green School, Isleworth, Middlesex; then Goldsmith's and University Colleges. University of

London. Between 1921 and 1950 she taught at St. Paul's School. Brentford, St. Ann's Senior Girls School, Ealing, and the Brentford Senior Girls' School. her subjects being English, history and games.

Retiring from this work in

1950, she became bored without the constant stimulus of teaching, even although she was then extremely busy with writing and had been producing a book a year ever since 1929. She accepted a position at the Matthew Arnold School, Staines and taught there from 1953 to 1961. After then finally several years. She remained and writing poetry.

Gladys Mitchell's first novel Lestrange Bradley, a wirty, Writers' Association and the bizarre but stylishly competent Society of Authors. sleuth whose investigations In 1976 Gladys Mitchell books. Mrs. Bradley, later Association Silver

Miss Gladys Maude Winifred fessional woman, Many of her rational and socially progressive views were similar to those of her originator, for whom at times she seemed a mouthpiece. Some of the books, Death at the Opera in 1934 and Laurels are Poison in 1942, for example, were set in the enforced closeness of girls' school or college backgrounds which Gladys Mitchell knew so well and whose tension-generating potential she so skilfully caploited.

A survivor from the Golden

Age of detective fiction (the 1920s and 1930s), she was an early member of the Detection Club whose active supporters included authors as celebrated as Dorothy Sayers, G. K. Chesterton and Agatha Christic She frequently satirized or reversed traditional patterns of the genre, succumbing to black humour, creating tongue-incheck mysteries and treading with extreme narrative confidence the hazardous paths between spoof and classic sleuthing fiction. Many of her books were spiced by eccentric and colourful themes lide transvestism, witchcraft or folklore esoterica, and her strong interest in ancient buildings and giving up teaching she lived at customs. Her recreations in-

She wrote detective fiction with undiminished energy and Speedy Death was published in adroitness well into the 1986s.
1929; it featured Beatrice Adela and was a member of the Crime

were eventually to fill over sixty received the Crime Writers' Dagger Dame Beatrice, a psychoanal award. As well as producing yst, author and holder of witty and incisive detective honorary degrees from almost stories for adults she wrote every university in the world, several satisfying mystery books was the epitome of the pro- for juveniles.

DR CHARLES GILBERT

Dr Charles Gilbert, who died on July 25, aged 72, was one of the few surviving members of Lord Rutherford's Nuclear Physics School the Cavendish aboratory, Cambridge.

He had a distinguished and varied career, beginning with one of the seminal atomsplitting experiments of the early 1930s (the cleavage of a boron atom into three helium atoms by proton bombard-ment). He did various wartime jobs, culminating in the basic criticality calculations for the Canadian zero-energy heavy water-moderated reactor at Chalk River.

Afer a year back at Cambridge, he moved to the Christie Hospital at Manchester as Head of the new Physics Department, to commission the betatron there, and remained in Manchester for the rest of his life, first in hospital physics and then, more broadly, in the biological application of physics and mathematics.

He was born and went to school in Rugby, and became a Scholar of Jesus, gaining firsts in all three parts of the Maths physics during the time when lack of funds placed a great premium on ingenuity. One of his proudest recollections was that of a significant experiment done on a Saturday and phished in the next week's Nature as a footnote to a letter which was on his desk in proof.

The elegance and thoroughness of his work was something remembered by his wartime colleagues at Exeter and then in Montreal, and his calculation of the heavy water depth at which the Canadian pille would go critical, was correct to within a few millimetres.

His role in Manchester (where he was also an Honorar) Reader at the University) was broadened with the creation in 1962 of the Paterson Laboratory, where he became Head of Research Physics. Here, his uncanny grasp of biology was joined with his mathematical insight to help in the complex interdisciplinary problems of cancer research. He created advanced statistical computer programmes for biological curve-fitting and complicated mathematical models for cell kinetics and the analysis of fast radiochemical reactions in the nanosecond time range.

Everyone in the Laboratories regarded him as the mathematical and statistical father confessor, a helpful and kind colleague who always spared the time to discuss any matter with senior or junior researchers, or students. The only price was to listen to the explanation of the solution - not always understood, but always perceived as elegant and economical. He rarely received the credit for all that he did, and he was not only

After his retirement at 65 he came into the laboratory two or three times a week and was always surrounded; he remained in harness until his

In 1939 he married Irene Gunn, a particularly charming and talented Sorbonne graduate; they had three children. It was a very happy family, at the centre of a large group of friends. After his wife's death in 1980, visits to his children and grandchildren in Australia and Canada, and to his son (a writer in London) were his greatest pleasure.

Latest wills

Alcock, Mr John Frederick, of Knaresborough, North Yorkshire £359,706 Appleby, Miss Cicely Elizabeth, of Bournemouth, Dorset _____£362,177 Atkinson, Mr George Scott, of Redditch, Hereford and Worcester

£280,807 Bewley, Mr John Clive, of Neath, West Glamorganshire £234,963
Clarke, Mr Bertie Ellis, of Wyberton, Lincolnshire £243,444
Davidson, Mr David Hay, of Boldre, Hampshire £212,989

Thruxton, Hampshire.....£455,268 Mills, Mr John Russell Mealing, of East Carleton, Norfolk.....£244,001 Pye. Mr Roy Arnold. of Torquay.

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West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire £229,933 Verson, Mr Arthur Thomas, of Wolverhampton £233,091 Watson, Sir Norman James, 2nd

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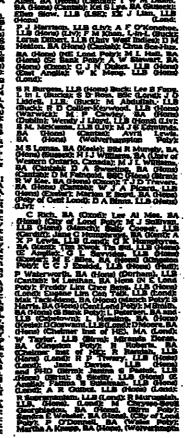
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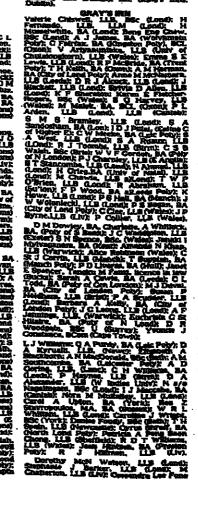
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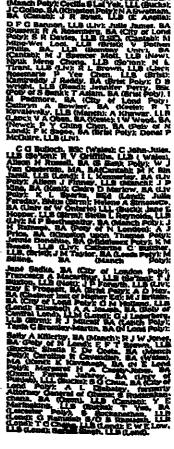
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STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 721.4 up 2.4 FT Gilts: 79.16 down 0.20 FT All Share: 451.21 up 0.03 Bargains: 19,561 Datastream USM L Index: 96.8 down 0.2

New York: Dow Jones Average 1;226.80 down 3.61 Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones index 9.122.07 up 49.70 Hongkong: Hang Sens Index 1074.29 down 16.36

Amsterdam: 149.7 down 1.1 Sydney: AO Index: 675.9 Frankfurt: Commerzbank Index 976.90 down 1.8 Brussels: General Index 133.50 up 0.79

Paris: CAC Index 130 down Zurich: SKA General 291.9

CURRENCIES

LONDON CLOSE Sterling \$1.5250 down 30pts Index 85.3 unchanged DM 4.0150 up 0.0075 FrF 12.0450 up 0.0125 Yen 367.50 down 0.25 Index 126.9 up 0.1

NEW YORK LATEST Sterling \$1,5270 INTERNATIONAL ECU £0.568647

INTEREST RATES

Domestic rates: Base rates 91/2 Finance houses base rate 101/2 Discount market loans week fixed 91/4-91/83 month interbank 9 15/16to 9 13/16

Euro-currency rates: 3 month dollar 10-101/g 3 month DM 53/15 to 51/16 3 month Fr F 13/16-135/8

US rates: Bank prime rate 10.50 Fed funds 81/2 Treasury long bond 89%-89%

ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period June 2 to July 5, 1983 inclusive: 9.878 per cent.

GOLD

London fixed (per ounce): am \$426 pm \$425.50

New York latest: \$420.50 Krugerrand* (per coin): \$437.50 - 439 (£286.50-287.50) Sovereigns" (new): \$100- 101 (£65.50-66.25) Excludes VAT.

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Interims: Lex Service, Lloyds Finals: Cray Elec, Dyson J. and J. Forminster, Howard and Wyndham Neepsend, Nolton, Sommerville Stavert Zigomala, Wagon

ANNUAL MEETINGS

Baracora Tea Holdings, Finlay House, West Nile Street, Glasgow (9.30); BPB Industries, Portman Inter-Continental Hotel, W1 (noon); Brown & Jackson, Crest Hotel, Preston, Lancs (noon); Downs, Surgical, Imperial Hotel, WC1 (3.00); Electronic Rentals Group, Howard Hotel, Temple Place, Strand, WC2 (noon); James Wast Nile Street Glescow. Finlay, West Nile Street, Glasgow (noon); Garford-Lilley Indus-tries, Great Northern Hotel, N1 (11.30); Plessey Command (11.30); Plessey Company, Millbank Tower, SW1 (noon) Portsmouth & Sunderland Newspapers, News Centre Hilsea, Portsmouth (12.30); Tesco Hisea, Portsmouth (12.30); Tesco Stores (Holdings), Savoy Hotel, WC2 (noon): Town & City Properties, Institute of Directors, SW1 (11.00): Wedgwood, Wed-gwood House, 34 Wigmor Street, W1 (noon); Jonas Woodhead & Sons, Parkway Hotel, Otley Road, Leeds (2.30).

NOTEBOOK

The Stock Exchange's role as capital-raiser for indutry is boom-ing. Until now the cash flow of city institutions has been more than sufficient to cope without putting downward pressure on share prices, but government sales could prove the last straw unless the delights of overseas investment

A tea estate company turned supermarket operator is giving the big chains a run for their money in West Country. Page 17

 America's Securities and Exchange Commission voted to defer indefinitely a decision on whether to adopt a controversial rule requiring brokers and specialists to publicize their customers' orders in certain stocks before trading from their own accounts with the cus-

• Fires in Britain last month cost an estimated £194.3m, the British Insurance Association announced yesterday.

. The unusually high figure was due to an uninsured fire at an Army ordnance depot in the Midlands which cost an estimated £165m.

Shares up 18p as dividend is raised

ICI doubles profits to £298m after chemical sales rise 15%

Currency gains and a strong increase in chemical sales £1,050m. helped Imperial Chemical In- The we dustries. Britain's biggest manu-facturing company, to double below the 67,000 average for interim pretax profits to £298m, 1982. more than it made in the whole

fied by a 1p rise in the net per cent coming from currency dividend to 10p, so the shares gains. rose by 18p to close at 556p.

While total sales of £4,099m most of this gain was against the were 12 per cent higher than in dollar and the Deutsche mark in

Oil by contrast, brought in preciated against the Deutsche £394m of sales, compared with mark. £428m, largely because of lower

to higher sales volumes. especially in North America, lysts had expected. and to ICI's long programme of reorganization and switching the into higher margin products.

Costs rose by £50m to about The workforce is still being

Volume accounted for about of 1982.

8 per cent of the higher
The stock market was grati- chemical sales, the remaining 7

the first six months of last year, the first quarter, when ICT's group chemical sales of pretax profits also doubled to £3.705m went up by 15 per £128m. Since the, sterling has de-

Profits, however, followed fairly closely the trend ident-Mr Alan Clements, the iffed in the opening three company's finance director, months of 1983, except that the said that the overall improve-total pretax profit of £170m benefited from the spring ment in chemicals owed much indicated a faster rate of increase than some City ana-

> Overhall, chemical sales for the second quarter were and Mylanta, an antacid, are £1,904m, to which agricultural selling well in the United States.

Between them they have sold

own below 5 per cent of them. Globe and Electra said

yesterday they would not self

Mr Michael Stoddart,

Globe director and a director of

Government and private bor-

General Electric was off 1/4 at

52; American Telephone &

International Bu

Machines was unchanged at

123: American Express was off



Harvey-Jones: turning ICI into a more international

chemicals and pharamaceuticals were the biggest contributors.

Crop protection products planting season and tend to be lower in the third quarter.

Nolvadex, a palliative for some kinds of breast cancer.

Fibres and organic chemicals, previously a troubled area, more or, less broke eyen. But petrochemicals and plas-

tics, suffering from severe worldwide overcapacity and consequent low prices, lost about £10m in the quarter. Trading profits from oil, however, fell during the quarter by £1m to £23m. after ICI paid petrolcum revenue tax of £37m. The full tax charge for the six months, excluding oil taxes which are taken directly into profits above the line, was

£102m, more than twice the amount levied in the first half One important aspect revealed by the latest figures is how under the chairmanship of

Mr John Harvey-Jones, ICI is becoming more international. In the first quarter, no less than £2,628m of all chemical sales were overseas. Chemical exports from Bn-

tian came to £883m. The comparable 1982 statistics were £2,216m and £748m. North America, despite the

Canadian recession, has proved the most buoyant market of late, although European sales have also been picking up. especially in Germany, Scandisince navia and Holland. Australia remains a relatively

Institutions rush for Mercantile shares

By Our Banking Correspondent

Shares lose early gains

New York (AP - Dow Jones) and aded: "Prices are weaken-

- Stocks moved lower again ing again. Bonds are giving yesterday. The Dow Jones ground and there seems to be industrial average was down something wrong. It may be a more than 4 points. The index feeling the economy is over-

began the day lower but pulled heating which could lead to an

ahead to a gain of about three eventual clash between the

arming negative over the past several weeks and the market's doctor was unadership has narrowed.

"Yesterday eveyone wanted hail out" Mr. Nicoski said hail out "Mr. Nicoski said hail out" Mr. Nicoski said hail out "Mr. Nicoski said hail out" Mr. Nicoski said hail out "Mr. Nicoski said hail out" Mr. Nicoski said hail out "Mr. Nicoski said hail

Mr Edward Nicoski, market Telegraph was up

City institutions yesterday Oppenheumer at the time of the snapped up £51m worth of Mercantile takeover. shares in Mercantile House, the fast-growing money broker and financial services group, which reported a sharp rise in profits

this week.

S G Warburg placed 7 million shares in the market at 725p each on behalf of Globe Investment Trust. Electra Investment Trust and Odyssey Partners. They acquired their shares in Mercantile last year when it took over the New York brokerage house Oppenheimer and have made a big profit on their investment.

Globe has sold 3.55 million of the 5 million shares it acquired a year ago at £4 each when it helped to finance the Oppenheimer takeover. Including the £20m of 7.7 per cent convertible redeemable prefer-ence shares which it provided at the same time, it still has an dividend. effective 15.6 per cent stake in Mercantile.

Odyssey, formerly the private Mercantile said the investment investment partnership ich trusts were reducing their stakes owned 80 per cent of Oppen- because they represented a big heimer, and Electra both took slice of their assets, but Globe Mercantile shares in part and Electra had no other big exchange for their stakes in deals in the offing.

before resuming the slide.

Declines widened their lead

by 9-to-5. Trading was moder-

that many indicators had been

turning negative over the past several weeks and the market's

to bail out". Mr Nicoski said

leadership has narrowed.

over advances and were ahead rates".

analyst for Piper Jaffray & 603/4: Hopwood, in Minneapolis, said Mach

chief seeks private cash By Jonathan Davis,

The new chairman of the Electricity Council has been 3.45 million shares, but still given a mandate by the Government to investigate ways of introducing more private capital into the elecany more shares in Mercantile

tricity supply industry.

Mr Philip Jones, a former for at least two years except in exceptional circumstances. deputy secretary at the Depart-Cazenove and Laing & ment orf Energy, took over as chairman in April. The council Cruickshank were brokers to yesterday's placing which apis the top tier of the electricity pears to have gone well. industry, with a supervisory role over the 12 area boards and The placing was at a discount of about a tenth to the overnight the Central Electricity Generalprice lof 815p and Mercantile's

ing Board. The second of the shares slipped at one point to about 790p, before closing at personal objectives he has agreed with Mr Peter Walker, the Energy Secretary, requires him specifically to increase the This week Mercantile reported a rise in pretax profits from £14.4m pretax to £44.7m scope for competition in electricity supply". echoing a similar objective agreed with Sir Walter Marshall. the CEGB for the year to April 30 and declared a 15p net final

chairman. Mr Jones has been told to review prospects for the injection of private risk capital into areas of the industry's activities and make recommendations after consulting local area

He is also being asked to take a special interest in ensuring that private generators of electricity are able to take full advantage of this year's Energy Act, which lifted the previous statutory ban on companies generating electricity as a main business.

the Conservative Party's election promise to introduce further privatization into the electricity industry.

Only one or two companies have shown interest in taking advantage of the Energy Act's provisions for private generation. but Department of Energy officials point out that the Act is only a few weeks old. • The National Coal Board is considering selling its 60 per cent interest in J. H. Sankey, its loss-making solid fuel and builders' merchants business.

Regan bid to settle New power IMF quota row By Peter Wilson-Smith, Banking Correspondent

Urgent attempts were being later issued a statement saying

made in Washington yesterday to find a compromise formula to ensure approval for the United States contribution to the International Monetary

Mr Donald Regan, the Treasury Secretary, was locked in meetings aimed at finding a compromise which would meet approval from the House of Representatives.

Washington sources said this was likely to include further restrictions on international lending by American commercial banks as a way of appeasing hawkish elements in the House.

The US is due to make an \$8.4bn contribution to the IMF's next quota rise. But despite extensive lobbying by the Reagan Administration, the proposal has run into tough opposition in Congress.

Earlier yesterday Mr Thomas Tlp O'Neill, the Speaker of the House, said any further action on the \$8.4bn contribution must wait until September, after the summer recess, because of lack of support. commercial banks w However, the US Treasury lent imprudently.

that a compromise formula was ion sources said a vote on the US contribution could be imminent. Mr Fernand St Germain, the

House Banking Committee chairman, yesterday proposed changes to legislation authoriz-

ing the US contribution
The six changes included withholding the \$2.61bn US contribution to the General Agreement to Borrow (GAB) and allowing release of the funds only if the Treasury Secretary certified they were needed to "forestall an impairmonetary system.

Other changes included limiting automatic rescheduling fees charged by US banks: limiting further lending by US banks which had lent excessively to any one country, defined as more then the bank's primary

The House Banking Committee also proposed requiring the US director of the IMF to oppose IMF loans which would by mainly used to repay commercial banks which had

four newcomers.

City Editor's Comment

In the shadows with black economy

black or hidden economy is almost impossible to measure. We all have tales to tell of people we know or suspect are 'on the fiddle' but how significant this is in national economic terms is hard to judge. The latest attempt to

measure the black economy comes up with some startling results. Mr Kent Matthews of Liverpool University, writing in the right-wing Journal of Economic Affairs, suggests that it accounts for some 16 per cent of national income and that, of the 3.1 million people officially counted as out of work, nearly 1.3 million are in fact busily

Much of the apparent growth in unemployment represents a monumental

statistical illusion", Mr Matthews claims. He puts the true level of unemployment this year at about 1.8 These estimates do not

square at all with those of the Iuland Revenue, which puts the size of the black economy at 6 to 8 per ceut of national income, almost entirely accounted for by the understatement of income by the self-employed and by moonlighting by people with full-time jobs.

And they lack an in-herent plausibility. Mr Matthews's calculations suggest that the black economy is now worth roughly £40,000m a year which implies that every household in the land is buying black services to the value of £1,500.

Most of this hidden income should be picked up in official spending figures

which tend to be more accurate than those on incomes. But as though there is a gap between spending and incomes in the national accounts, it is nothing like the sixth of total income Mr Mathews

Nor have repeated drives by social security sleuths succeeded in uncovering

By its very nature the number of people fraudlently claiming benefits.

If more than a third of the unemployed were on the fiddle, as implied, such 2 scandal would surely be hard to conceal.

Cooperation beats cooperatives

The trade union movement has always been in favour of cooperative ownership. But experimental industrial cooperatives in the shoe industry, in motor-cycle making and in wash-ing-machine manufacture in Merseyside and hi-fi production in Ulster have

Worker enthusiasm was not to blame but the lack of management expertise in the cooperatives, which led to a swift demise of most of these ventures.

By contrast, the manage ment buy-out of the National Freight Cooperation 18 months ago has been so successful that it has undoubtedly led the Government to take the view that the same formula should be applied to other sectors of publicly-owned

The workers at the NFC have had a second chance to buy shares in the same company. Over half, 13,000 out of 24,000, are now shareholders in the company. Most are already able to point to profits as well as being employed by a company with increased job security.

Those workers who followed the advice of their union, the Transport and General Workers' Union. and did not buy shares in NFC are now in a minority in what is becoming one of the country's most mited companies.

As the Government can learn from the NFC management in how privatisation can be handled, so the trade unions should realize that cooperation is more profitable than cooperat-

Rank group to be run by outsider

By Graham Searjeant

The long-running attempts by City institutions to reform the Rank Organisation took a further step forward yesterday when the group announced the appointment of Mr Michael Gifford to the new post of group chief executive.

bury Schweppes since 1978 and spent 15 years on computer

expected since March, when Mr man, bowed to pressure from a committee of institutional shareholders and announced that the board was taking steps to find an outsider to run the group, which has long disap-pointed City expectations. Mr Evans said at that time that the company was searching for an "executive chairman" who would gradually take over Mr Evans' executive role and that Mr Harry Smith would retire as deputy chairman on the new

A company spokesman said yesterday that the board subsequently decided that the new title would reflect more accurately the newcomer's role. Group pretax profits fell

Investors await new Waddington bid

Shares in John Waddington, the Monopoly game maker, soared 16p to a new record 262p

Favourite to come forward Corporation, controlled by Mr Robert Maxwell. He has already made one bid valuing Waddington at £13m. but this was topped by Norton Opax, which prints lottery tickets. Bidding stands at £15m. BPCC need to raise its offer

to stay in the game. Both offers were cleared of any reference to the Munopolies and Mergers Commission yesterday.

yesterday as the stock market £(39.000 to £1m on a turnover geared itself for another twist in the takeover battle. £139.000 to £1m on a turnover up from £6.6m to £10m. The group is paying a 2.5p dividend up from £6.6m to £10m. The group is paying a 2.5p dividend

against 2p last time. with a new offer is British
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against approved information terday approved proposals to terday approved proposals 10 allow offshore funds to be run entirely from the island without becoming liable to local income 1ax. At present, Guernsey-based • The EEC Commission will

Norton Opax results for the £161m on revenue of £2.11 year to the end of last March billion for the same period last show pretax profits rising from year. Visits abroad by Britons in

May jumped 11 per cent to 1.68 million on annual comparison while incoming visitors from overseas were at about last year's level of one million. according to the Department of Trade and Industry.

funds have to show they are non allow the Belgian Government residents and conduct some of their activities outside the 1.5 bn (£952m) to keep steel island to avoid local taxation. Xerox in New York reported in exchange for an undertaking a second quarter net profit of to cut production capacity at \$153m on revenues of £2.16 Cockerill by a further 1.4 billion (£1.4bn). against net of million tonnes.

Mr Gifford, aged 47, has been group finance director of Cad-An announcement had been

continuously from £122m in 1978 to £62m last year.

Lay members will open up SE Council

Secrets of the City's 'government'

By Jonathan Clare It is ironic that an act of Government timing has turned

the spotlight on one of the least, known, but most powerful inancial bodies in the country. Lay members will soon be ppointed to the Council of the Stock Exchange (although the number and method of selection are yet to be decided), a move which was first put forward in the 1980 Wilson

The council body, was set up 10 years ago in the reorganiza-tion of the Stock Exchange system in 1973, not only regulates the rules by which members abide, but also fights for the exchange's own interests and is responsible for the market itself.

officio member, the Govern-

ment Broker. The regions, which until 1973 had their own

exchanges, elect 11 of the members.



The Government Broker, at broking firth of Mullens and The council has 46 members present Mr Nigel Althaus does appointment to the council. who are elected plus one ex not vote on issues but he does speak and advise. Appointment



Adviser and chairman: Goodison (left) and Althaus

to the post of Government itself votes to appoint the Broker automatically brings two chairman and deputy chairman other appointments to be every year. The present chair-senior partner of the stock- man is Sir Nicholas Goodison,

One third of the council is reelected each year. The council

Goodison.

Anyone who is a member of the Stock Exhange can stand for the council election, but successful candidates tend to be senior members who have made a name for themselves. Theoretically, every firm in the exchange should have a

partner as a member at some time. In practice there is a band of firms which have good track records of getting their partners onto the council. This is because council business takes up about a quarter of a member's working life so the other parners in the firm are effectively subsidizing him.

All the council's members are

working members of the Ex-

change and meet every two weeks although satellite committees meet every week - with some of the committee mem bers meeting every day. These committeees are re sponsible for membership and

Reshuffle and rights issue at Celltech

has seen a big shuffle among its. diluted down to 30.7 per cent shareholders and is raising more anyway because it is not taking than £6m by a rights issue.

The 40 per cent stake held by and BTG were keen that its British Technology Group is stake should be reduced further being reduced to just over 28 and 26 per cent of its shares per cent and its other four big have been sold to Royal Life shareholders are being joined by Assurance at £1.75p each, the

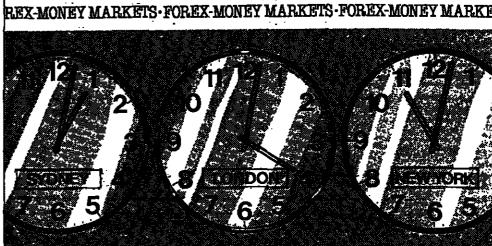
same as the rights price. The deal looks good for BTG The first four, the Prudential, Midland Bank, Brtish & which paid only the final 39p Commonwealth and Biotechno- due on each of the £1 shares it

Celltech, the small company logy Investments, have all which has pushed Britain to the increased their shareholdings.

BTG's shareholding will be f300,000 on its original invest-

creased Celltech's cash resourc-Together with the rights cash, Celltech will have cash in the bank totalling £12.5m. This will be used to develop its health care packages, which are to be licensed for production by drug companies, and to expand its

The final payments.



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FINANCIAL HALF-YEAR	HICH TO sou	ICH JUNE	IS
	1983 £m	1982 £m	% Increase
SALES			
New Annual Premiums	8.4	4.5	+87
-pensions	3.4	2.0	
_life assurance	5.0	2.5	•
New Single Premiums	13.7	3.6	+280
-pensions	3.9	0.8	
-life assurance	9.8	2.8	
Unit Trust Sales	32.8	8.1	+305
MANAGEMENT EXPENSES	5.9	4.6	+28
excluding commissions			
GROUP FUNDS UNDER MANAGEMENT	348.0	2470	+41

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The Nottingham Manufacturing Company PLC

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Group results (unaudited) for the six months ended 30th June 1983 are as follows:-

	6 months 1983	6 months 1962	1691 1902
Sales	£90,488,000	285,393,000	£214,372,000
Profit on Trading	£3,895,000	£3,609,000	£15,618,000
Investment Income	2,958,000	2,560,000	5,675,000
Profit before Taxation	26,853,000	26,169,000	£21,293,000
Profit after Taxation	£4,797,000	£4,318,000	£15,887,000
Earnings per Share	q10.6	5.53p	20.18p

Note: Taxation has been charged in respect of the first half of 1983 at the estimated rate chargeable for the year.

The Directors have declared an Interim Dividend of 1.35p per share to be paid on 1st December 1983 to shareholders on the register at the close of business on 7th November 1983 (1982 - 1.2p per share).

28th July 1983

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Lazard Brothers & Co., Limited

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Mobil profit up 40% in second quarter

Mobil Corporation increased its cent gain in the second quarter earnings in the second quarter and Standard Oil of California, by 40.1 per cent to \$402m posted a 40 per cent increase.

(£264m) compared to \$287m in Mr Dodge, of Donalson, the same period last year.

The gain by the nations's second-largest energy concern and better profits on petrol, factors that have helped everal oil companies.

The other energy concerns also reported increased profits, 6 cents a gallon in pretax with Tenneco showing a gain of under I per cent and Phillips Petroleum reporting a 15.8 per cent increase.

Better profits of refined petroleum products is one of the reasons for the imported earnings analysys say. Since March, when the organization of Pertroleum Exporting Countries agreed a 15 per cent reduction in its crude oil prices, the price of petrol and some other refined products has risen.

Earlier, the Exxon Corpor-

York (MYT)-The company, reported a 27.2 per

Mr Dodge, of Donalson, Mobil's refining and marketing had moved quicly from an reflected lower crude oil prices unprofitable business to a healthy margin. He estimated that in March, refineries were losing 3 cents to 4 cents a gallon on petol, but were now making

> Mogil's chairman, Mr Ran-leigh Warner Jr, attributed the increased earnings to the stabilization of crude oil prices and improvements in marketing and refining operation world-Mobil is a partner in the

Arabian American Oil, which produces most of Saudi Arabia's oil. and thus benefited directly from Opec price cut. Its earnings from domestic

Thus, the companies margins exploration and production have widened sharply. exploration and production declined 9 per cent, to \$222m. Earlier, the Exxon Corpor-largely because of falling de-ation, the worlds largest energy mand for natural gas.

Sales rise maintained at Habitat

Sir Terence Conran, chair-man of Habitat Mothercare, told the annual meeting yesterday that group sales were still showing about the same percentage increase over last year as indicated in his statement in the report and accounts.

Trade in Britain is maintaining a good momentum and in America, both Mothercare and Conran's are making encouraging progress. Problems in France, however, continue to depress the retail market, the chairman said.

Last week, the company presented a new look for Mothercare. The changes, to be implemented this autumn, are expected to give an added impetus to sales.

Overseas, Conran's has two more outlets in the pipeline. The new teenager clothing project Now will be launched this autumn with five pilot

By Our Financial Staff

Year to March 31, 1983 (49.8539p)

Energy Finance and General Trust Year to March 31, 1983 Pretax profit £323,000 (£505,000) Stated earnings 1.88p (5.45p) Turnover

COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

Devid S. Smith (Noldings)
Half-year/Year to April 30, 1983
Pretax profit £121,000 (£942,000)
Stated earnings 1.8p (9p)
Turnover £4,816,000 (£6,785,000)
Net final dividend 1p
Dividend payable October 3

P I) Industrials 16 months to April 30, 1983 Pretax profit £306,478 (£318,121) Stated earnings 12.20 (11.2p) Turnover £1,716m (£1,565m) Net final dividend \$.50

Turnover 220.432m (228,934m) Net final dividend 8.8p

Net final dividend 0.71p (same) Share price yield Dividend payable

Half-year to June 30, 1983 Pretax profit £569,000 (£656,000) Stated earnings 1.87p (1.83p) Net interim dividend 1.3p (same) Dividend payable October 3

d. t. Jecobs Half-year to June 30, 1983 Pretax profit 2737,000 (2805,000) Tutsover 2497,000 (2723,000) Haz interio dividend 1c (0.7p) Dividend psysble October 20

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River and Mercentile Trust Half year to June 30, 1983 Pretax profit Stated semings 2,03p (1.89)

Net interim dividend 1.4p (1.325p)

Arington Motor Holdings Year to March 31, 1983 Pretax profit \$1,082,000 (\$90,000 loss) Stated earnings 21-3p (4.6p loss) Turnower £67,205,000 Turnover (£55,935,000) Nat tinal dividend 4p

Year to April 30, 1983 Pretax loss £388,753 (£713.027) Stated loss 4.81p (12.89p) Turnover £16 324m (£23,825m) Net final dividend none

Munton Brothers Year to April 30, 1983 Pretax profit £615,000 (£432,000) Stated earnings 4.51p (2.97p)
Turnover £11,863,000 Turnover (£10,542,000)

Sun powers shares

after a mild winter depressed earnings in the final quarter of last year and the first quarter of

especially in northern tier states will help earnings to electric utilities in the present quarter, said Mr John Jay Jones of

Oppenheimer & Company.
Other analysts have said that recent price inprovements in interest rate-sensitive groups like utilities, banks and savings and loan stocks could also mean that the rates will not go much

higher.
Indeed, utility issues in the

New York (NYT) - Higher past have sometimes given the demand for air conditioning has go-ahead for the rest of the boosted electric utility stocks stock market.

The utility average closed on Tuesday at 132.90, its highest level since it reached 133.02 on March 5, 1969. On Wednesday Hotter than normal weather, the utility average finished at specially in northern tier states 131.98, down 0.98.

But electric utilities cannot claim full credit for this performance. The average consists of 11 electric utilities and

In the latter category, shares of consolidated Natural Gas, Columbia Gas System and Panhandle Eastern Corporation. Traded this week at, or close to, their 52-week highs

TRADE DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL SERVICES N.V. CURAÇÃO (N.A.)

US\$ 40,000,000 Guaranteed Floating Rate Notes due 1986

In accordance with Provision 5(a) of the Listing Agreement signed, by the Company in August 1979, notice is hereby given to Noteholders and Couponholders that the Audited Accounts 1982 of the

Report of its Parent Company, Trade Development Bank Holding S.A., are available for inspection at the offices of the Principal Paying Agent, Citibank, N.A., 111 Wall Street, New York, and of Company and the Annual the six Paying Agents.

Amount of the Notes at present outstanding: USS 35,000,000.

July 12, 1983

By: Trade Development Financial Services N.V.

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Years ended 31st March	1983	1982
Turnover	£20,057,000	£16,974,000
Profits before tax	£2,652,000	£2,057,000
Earnings per share	10.5p	9.8p
Dividends per share	2.5p	2.09p

maintain dividend on the increased capital. For a copy of the report and accounts

Capitalisation issue of 1 for 10 again this year and it is planned to

post the coupon below: To: The Secretary, Plysu PLC, 120 Station Road, Wobum Sands, Milton Keynes,

Buckinghamshire MK17 8SE. Please send me a copy of the 1983 Annual Report

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The Industrial Bank of Japan, Limited London

Floating Rate London-Dollar Negotiable Certificates of Deposit due 30th July, 1986

In accordance with the provisions of the Certificates, notice is hereby given that for the six month Interest Period from 29th July, 1983 to 30th January, 1984 the Certificates will carry an Interest Rate of $10\frac{7}{6}$ °, per annum. The relevant Interest Payment Date will be 30th January, 1984.

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121/4 per cent. Loan Stock 1988

Issued on a yield basis

Issue price £99.526 per cent.

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Results for the six months ended 30th June, 1983 (Unaudited)

	£milli	on
	1983	1982
Operating Revenue	51.9	45.0
Operating Expenses	(33.2)	(30.7)
Operating Profit	18.7	14.3
Equity in Operating Profit of Associates and Unconsolidated Subsidiaries	5.4	5.1
Other Income/(Expense)	0.2	(0.2)
Profit before tax	24.3	19.2
Provision for tax	(13.2)	(10.3)
Profit after tax	11.1	8.9

- Operating Revenue is up by 15% over 1982, in part due to the strength of overseas currencies against sterling.
- ☐ Operating Profit has increased by 31%.
- Profit before tax has risen by 27%.

The above figures have been adjusted to comply with generally accepted accounting practices in the United States and exclude interest income and expense and other items which arise as a consequence of the merger and which are not relevant to operating performance.

Copies of the full announcement may be obtained from the Secretary, C.T. Bowring & Co. Ltd., The Bowring Building, Tower Place, London EC3P 3BP.

A Member of Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc. **APPOINTMENTS**

ord Sieff to join **lothschild** board

M. Rothschild & Sons; Sieff of Brimpton, chairof Marks & Spencer, and ank Cooper are to join the

mite Group: Mr J. Linderman has been appointed managing director. matin Distillers; Mr Peter ey is to become a director. rkshire & Lancashire Ineut Trust: Mr J. R. S. Bell oin the board.

ntaprint International: Mr J. Gill has been appointed S. Stokvis & Sons: Mr R arson has been appointed

ging director. W. Spear: Mr F. A. Spear become chairman in ision to Mr A. K. L enson who will remain a accutive director. Mr D. Smith has been appointed ging director

y Finance & General ngs: Mr J. D. Robertshaw ds Mr E. D. Barkaway has resigned as chairman mains a director.

tring & Gillow (Hldg): Mr I. Reynolds has been nted financial director in ssion to Mr J. G. Etchells. Carlin has been aped director responsible for furniture Trading and Mr farxhall director responfor UK Carpet Trading. nan and from the board.

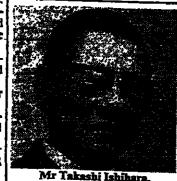
ble TV Construction: Mr r Faircloth has been ated chief executive. Samuel: Mc A. P. Dignum ecome managing director.
Collingwood and Mr S. entilly have relinquished duties as joint managing ors but remain on the as chairman and vice-

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as International: Mr Brian is to become a director. e Circle Industries: Mr J. on-executive director seral Foods: Mr W. J. of smaller manufacturers fightingale has been appointed ing for the leadership of ctor of Vending Services. Division II - but not powerful

How long-term planning affects production in Britain

Blueprint for growth that keeps Japanese industry in the lead



president of Nissau

It may be more complex than people think for Japan to meet the demands of competitors to diversify its range of exports. Even the overtures from Europe to persuade Japanese companies to invest for manufac-ture of assembly in specific product sectors, such as cars, may run counter to the broad industrial strategy guide-lines which dectate Japan's constant

industrial renewal. It was in the early 1970s - the first products of mid-1950s post-war recovery reached maturity - that a product cycle of 12 to 15 years began to emerge as a pattern. This cycle has become increasingly ex-plicit. First, a sector is identified for UK Carpet Trading.

mbros: Mr J. O Hambro is head of Japan's growth. With ke up the new post of attention and resources pointed purposefully at the sector, it ited Dominions Trust: Mr is the decimal of the area of becomes the arena of feverish

especially over the two decades from 1955) the have been prods from the Ministry of International Trade and Industry and other industrial strategists towards sector rationalization.

Vicious competition between industrial groups such as Mitsubishi and Sumitomo, or the bank-based Fuyo and DKB consortiums, has driven to the wall all except the most vigorous, and has generated groupings among competitors. ion): Mr Simon Hinton This domestic build-up and rationalization of a sector usually requires about five ight Frank & Rutley: Me years. By then, ideally, the Shelley has become senior sector is headed by two leading competitors, which have absorbed weaker members and share almost equally 60 per cent to 70 per cent of the domestic idecott is to join the board market. Below them, again

ideally, there will be a handful

As Nissan continues to agonize over its project to build a car factory in Britain, Professor Geoffrey Bownas explains the successful Japanese industrial cycle that lies at the heart of the decision.

enough to gain promotion to Division L

number of significant competition from 14 to five or six. through business associations with the truck company Hino and Daihatsu, while Nissan had affiliated Fuji Heavy Industries and had merged with Prince. (This full merger, extraordinary and alien to Japan's business

seen the end.)
Toyota and Nissan constitute

During the five years of domestic build-up and rationalization it was practice to cocoon and shield the sector from external encroachment. In the car sector, for instance, liberalization of inward investment was held back during the second half of the 1960s while the industry was still regarded

obtrusive protective measures has been taken by the everyday practices and habits of the Japanese, who automatically baulk at foreign intrusion.

The second segment of the cycle, lasting for five to ten years, augments continuing domestic boom with forceful export crusade. For the car industry, this period coincides with the decade of the 1970s – 1970-71 to 1980-81. Usually, our first acquaintance with a "new" Japanese product push occurs with the onslaught of this

The industrial planning blue-

print for the car industry during the second half of the 1960s called for a contraction in the This was laboriously achieved over the five years to 1970-70. By then, Toyota had fashioned a sturdy group manners, bred problems of which we might not yet have

Division I Division II includes Honda, Mitsubishi Motors, Toyo Kogyo and Isuzu.

export crusade.

There are many similar

CONSUMER DURABLES Diffusion rates in Japan (percentage of households)					1
	1972	1975	1978	1981	1982
Colour talevision	61	90	. 98	99	99
Video recordar	_	_	1	. 5	8
Stereo player Room air conditioner	40	52	56 30	59	62 42
Room air conditioner	9 -	17	30	41	42
Gas water heater	- 50	67	73	. 77	77
Refrigerator	92	97	99	99	100
Microwave oven	5	16	27	37	40
Piano	9	12	15	17	18
Still carners	70	77	82	85 ·	85
Car	30	41	52	59	62
Warm air heater	· · -	· -	10	18 ·	. 23

CONSUMER ELECTRONICS

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	15	79	. 18	82
	Production (million units)	Of which overseas percentage	Production (million units)	Of which overseas percentage
Radio (general)	16,75	. 69.0	16.83	72.6
MonoTV	8.21	48.5	8,30	49.4
Stereo cassette	4.23	31.7	5.57	44.9
Tape recorder	35.95	33.7	41.66	38.4
Colour TV.	13.40	30.1	14.55	37.1
Speaker	8.79		11.18	15.2
. FM tuner	2.90	11.9 9.3	3.75	14,1
VTR	2.20	-	4.44	

examples. Colour TV is also of the 60s, with its cycle now complete. In 1964, you were really up with the Japanese Joneses if you watched the

Toyko Olympics in colour. By 1966, colour TV was a leading glamour product, hailed with car and cooler as one of the "3 status symbols of the year. By 1971 the domestic diffusion rate was 42.3 per cent (of 27 million households), increasing to 90.3 per cent. In 1975 and to 98.2 per cent (of 34 million housholds) in 1980.

After this second segment and 10 to 15 years from initial identification as strategic, comes clinical reappraisal.

Fifteen years is a long span in terms of plant and production process renewal in Japan and, for consumer durables at least, general practice at this stage has been to transfer some production abroad, relegating the product to comparatively low wage or low skill economies such as South Korea and South Wales. The Japanese employee, meanwhile, is redeployed to higher technology sectors,

At this final stage in the cycle, Japan's integrated electrical and electronic giants, such as Matmoved more positively than the and assemblers. Eminently

diversifiable, they had already shifted abroad a substantial share of radio, black and white TV, and tape recorder pro-

So it was following precedent when Sony's Bridgend plant opened for full colour TV production in 1975, Matsushita set up also in Wales in 1977, Toshiba (with Rank) in 1978 and Hitachi (with GEC) in

We now see Sony, Mitsubishi Electric and NEC, among other, preparing to upgrade their British plant to VTR production. With a domestic diffusion rate of only 7.5 per cent of households at the start of 1982. VTR is a rare exception to the practice that deters export of overseas manufacture before the build-up of a sturdy domestic base for a product. In this and other respects, it appears that the trend in the 1980s will be to

telescope the cycle. The product sectors scheduled to spur Japan's growth through the 1980s and well into the 1990s are increasingly the territory of the integrate electrical and electronic giants, audio and video related producers. sushita, Hitachi and NEC, have communications corporations and precision instrument manufacturers moving from

Midland Bank pig



Association:—
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING
of Midland Bank pic, Head Office, Poultry,
London EC2P 28X on the 15th August, 1983 at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of
considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution which will
be proposed as an ordinary resolution, namely:—

ORDINARY RESOLUTION

(a) the share capital of the Bank be increased from (230,000,800 to (255,000,000 by the creation of 35,000,000 new Shares of £1 such; and (b) the Directors be and they are authorised in accordance with Section 14 of the Companies Act 1980 if the Act*) to allot, in connection with the offer which is to be made by way of rights to the holders of Shares in Middand Bank pic and which is described in the circular letter to Shareholders desard 28th July, 1983. Shares of £1 such in Middand Bank pic having in total a nominal value of 255,000,000 (such Shares being some only of those which are to be silotted in connection with such offer). Provided that:—

(i) this authority shall be additional to the authority conferred upon the Directors in accordance with Section 14 of the Act on 7th May, 1982 to allot relevant securities (as defined in such Section) up to an aggregate marshall amount of (23,524,545 and nothing in this paringraph (b) of this Resolution shall affect or be taken to very, revoke or terminate such authority or the powers given to the Directors pursuant thereto under Section 18 (1) of the Act on 7th May, 1982 and on 27th April, 1983;

(ii) the Directors shall as to the belance of the Shares to be allotted in connection with the said affer be at liberty to act in pursuance of the said authority conferred under Section 14 of the Act on 7th May, 1982; and

By Order of the Board

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by FA, OA, LA, SA, HA and PA (Factory Automation Office,

Local, Social, Home and Personal Automation). Hitachi and

Toshiba, Harp and Matsushitz, Sony and Sanyo, Fujitsu and NEC, Canon and Ricoh, to-

eether with Mitsubishi Electric

and a handful of heavy indus-

mand a widening scope of

from robots and flexible manu-

facturing systems via networks

and computers (mainframe, office, personal and pocket) to

copiers, printers, key tele-phones, complete office and home control and video display. There is a fluent, well-

planned succession of products

Perhaps, as eager joint ventures or willing hosts to

Japanese investment, we should be aiming to break into the cycle during its initial stage,

rather than appearing content to be fobbed off with Japan's reject

We left Japan's car assemblers on 1981, 15 years after the 1965-66 start of the

vissan's British investment

feasibility study began in spring 1981, and Nissan has offshore

plants or programmes in Tennessee and Spain, and with

There is a stark contrast,

however, between the regenera-

ting future for NEC or Hitachi and the horizon for Honda of

Nissan. An engine can be used

for a car or a truck, it can be

installed in a lawn mower or a

personal snow plough (as Honda), or linked with marine

leisure and aerospace (as

But a car plant must remain

whether in Osaka or

essentially just that over the

Oxford. Such absence or flexi-

bility does not chime in with

planning and development

The author is a consultant on

Japan to Lazard Securities.

to know them.

Alfa Romeo and Volkswagen.

Beautifully on cue,

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to succeed VTR in due time

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> Credit Suisse First Boston Limited Agent Bank

ICI in 1983

First half year

The Board of Directors of Imperial Chemical Industries PLC appearance the following unaudited trading results of the Group with first half of 1983, with comparative figures for 1982.

	First Half Emilions	Ker* Lmillions		First Half Emillions
¥			Sales to external customers Chemicals:	
1	1.008	20.0	United Kingdom	1,077
7	2.216	4,402	Overseas	2,628
1	3,224	6.432	~	3,705 394
	KC4	47.0	Oil	
	3,652	7,358	Total	4,099
	145	259	Profit before taxation After providing for:	298
	195	4(1)	Depreciation	212
	46	-45	Тахитьчт	- 102
•	44	167	Profit after taxation	196
	13	-22	Attributable to minorities	9
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	i in	145	Profit attributable to Parent Com after extraordinary serbs	187
•	14.36	24.2p	Earnings before extraordinary items per £1 Ordinary stock	30.9p
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Group chemical sales in the first half of 1983 were 23,705m, an increase of £481m (15%) over the first half of 1982. Volume accounted for 8% of the increase and

exchange effects for 7%. Group profit before tax in the first half of 1983 was 1298m (first half of 1982 £145m) including oil profits of £47m (£29m). The substantial profit improvement in chemicals trading resulted from better performances in most businesses compared with the depressed conditions in the first half of 1982. In particular agricultural chemicals and pharmaceuticals did well and the loss in petrochemicals and plastics was much reduced.

Second Quarter

Group chemical sales in the second quarter were \$1,904m, an increase of \$100m (6%) over the first quarter of 1983 resulting mainly from an increase in the USA and an improvement in volume in the seasonal businesses. Oil sales decreased by £44m (20%) to £175m.

Profit before tax in the second quarter was £170m, an improvement of £42m over the previous quarter (£128m). After allowing for seasonal variations the underlying level of trading remained broadly unchanged during the first and second quarters. Petrochemicals and plastics worldwide recorded a similar loss to the first quarter

Chemical Sales	Oil Sales	UK Chèmical Exports	Profit Before Tax
£m	£m	£m	£m.
1.583	198	368	62
1,64ī	230	380	83
1.579	220		58
1,629	278	362	56
6,432	926	1,449	259
£m	£m	£m	£m
1.801			128
1,904	175	455	170
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(£10m) and the fibres and organic chemicals businesses continued to trade at near breakeven levels.

The Group's oil business produced trading profits of £23m in the quarter (first quarter 1983 £24m) after petroleum revenue tax of £37m (first quarter 1983 £34m).

The charge for taxation, which excludes oil taxes, for the first half of 1983 amounted to £102m (first half of 1982 £46m) comprising £68m of UK corporation tax (£10m) and £34m taxation of overseas subsidiaries and principal associated companies (£36m).

On a CCA basis, prepared in accordance with UK accounting standard, SSAP16, profit before tax for the half year was £224m. The inflation adjustments to the historical cost accounts are —£90m (—£85m in the first half of 1982) for supplementary depreciation, -£28m (-£27m) for working capital, +£31m (+£29m) for gearing and +£13m (+£16m) for others.

Interim Dividend for 1983

The Board has declared an interim dividend of 10.0 pence (ten point nought pence) per £1 unit of Ordinary stock of the Company in respect of the year 1983 (1982 9.0 pence). This together with the imputed tax credit of 4.29 pence is equivalent to a gross dividend of 14.29 pence (1982 12.86 pence).

The interim dividend now declared will absorb £61m and is payable on 10 October 1983 to Ordinary stockholders registered in the books of the Company on

Trading results for the first nine months of 1983 will be announced on Thursday 27 October 1983.



Imperial Chemical Industries **PLC**

BANCO DE CHILE Floating Rate Notes due 1986 in

accordance with the provisions of the Notes notice is hereby given that the Rate of interest for the next Interest Period has been fixed at 10¹⁵/₁₆% per annum. The Coupon Amount will be U\$\$56.21 in respect of U\$\$1,000 denomination and U\$\$562.07 in respect of U\$\$10,000 denomination and u\$\$562.07 in respect of U\$\$10,000 denomination and will be payable on 30th January, 1984, against surrender of Coupon No 9.

29th July, 1983. acturers Hanover Limited

Base Lending Rates

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Macarthys Pharmaceuticals p.l.c.

Extract from Preliminary Statement for year to 30 April 1983.

Turnover levels have been maintained in the second half of our financial year and at \$265m for the full year are 23% up on the previous trading period: profits in the last six months show a 42% increase over those for the first half of the year.

Business since year-end has been brisk in most of our Divisions.

Group sales and profits 4.604-3

Year to 30 April	1983 £'000	1982 £'000
External sales	265,488	215,114
Group profit before taxation	4,055	4,094
Group profit after taxation	2,817	2,952
Earnings per share	21.2p	22.2p
Dividend - Interim and Final	2p + 5p	2p+5p
To: The Secretary, Macarthys Pharm 185 High Road, Chadwell Heath, Ron		

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The Bonds of E1,000 each constituting the above issue have been admitted to the Official List of The Stock Exchange, subject only to the issue of the Bonds, interest is psyable annually on August 15. ele of any of the Bonds may be made in the United States of America or in any other where such offer or sale would be prohibited by law. the Bonds are exaliable from Excel Statistical Services Limited and may be obtained during normal business hours up to and including August 15, 1983, from:

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Britain's biggest industrial group reported pretax profits of £170m - £40m above market estimates - pushing the first six months' contribution up from £145m to £298m. The shares responded with a jump of 18p to 55bp as United States investors quickly picked up more than 3 million shares for their rapidly expanding portfolio of British companies.

ICT's performance was just the tonic the rest of the market had been waiting for after the disappointing overnight per-formance on Wall Street, It also succeeded in wiping out the earlier fall of nearly five points on the FT Index to give a close of 2.4 up on the day at 721.4.

United States support was also good for another 2p on BOC Group at 243p, but Glaxo reacted 5p to close at 915p. It was reported this week that the order's anti-uleer drug. Zantae group's anti-uleer drug. Zantae, had captured 7 per cent of the market in the first week of sales. British Aerospace has beaten Texas Instruments and Lucas

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MARKET REPORT • by Michael Clark

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vesterday as shares of Wool-worth rebounded 9p to 265p and forced them to limit the size of the market to only 5,000 shares at one stage. Several large buyers were reported to be doing the rounds, including brokers Laurie Milbank, but the reason for the sudden rise of popularity in the shares remained a

early lead to close Ip down on the day at 152p.

Gilts remained a dull market losing up to 50p in quiet trading, while on the foreign exanges the pound lost 0.3 cents to \$1.5250.

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has bought an extra 200,000 shares in its associate, British Industrial & General Invest-Dey. Aug 1. Settlement Day, Aug 8.

Trust (BiGIT), at 243p a share, taking its total holding to 449,000 shares. This represents about 9.29 per cent of the at 86p. The recent offer for sale of 750,000 shares by brokers fought off a bid from the Greene & Co flopped with only Atlanta, Baltimore & Chicago 35 per cent of the shares taken Regional Investment Trust, is up. But Video Brokers, Harvard the target of a £13m offer from the London Investment Trust,

the shares before winning eventual control. The prospect of a white knight emerging on the scene has not been ruled out in some quarters.

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Midland Allied Press have

diversified into magazines but others like United Newspapers

have suffered. However, United

has compensated by aiming for

such as newswire services in the

US. Whatever the Fleet Street

picture, other newspapers have

Flat first quarter figures from Portsmouth & Sunderland Newspapers disguise something

Cover prices have risen faster

than inflation and last month Portsmouth said it would hold

the cover prices of evening

aggressive growth elsewhere

met their challenge head-on.

of a revival

Fund-raising capacity nears crisis

New capital issues are strictly a secondary line for the stock market. Its primary capital-raising service to industry is to put a value on companies' retained earnings and thereby legitimuze the ploughing back of

Having said that, it is a sign of great resilience in the market that the share indices managed healthy rises on Wedensday and has few second thoughts yesterday, despite the announcement a £155m rights issue from Midland Bank.

Remember, that came in the same week that Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chancellor, revealed that he was going the dump another chunk, up to £500m; of British Petroleum stock on the market in the next few months.

The present bouyancy is one thing. But given the enormous privatization programme starting next year, there will at some time be a real strain on the market's capacity to fund new

Rights issues posed no threat to share prices last year or the first quarter of this year, when, in any case, the biggest investing institutions were hardly extending their cash flow in long-term investments.

The message from those

already changed substantially since March. In the second quarter, according to Stock Exchange figures, rights issues £500m booked last month.

INSTITUTIONS' CASH FLOW QUARTERLY Em								
	1982 1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1983 1st			
Inflow to pension funds and life assurance	3,771	2,753	3,384	3,222	3,791			
Investments: Gilt-edged UK Ordinary shares Overseas shares Property	1,075 679 641 415	347 966 500 427	1,039 776 643 457	699 803 811 410	862 650 844 345			
Total major long-term investments	2,810	2,240	2,915	2,724	2,701			
UK rights issues	170	339	67	326	429			

Sources: Central Statistical Office, Stock Exchange statistics department.

dence of government funding happen to investment in shares perhaps 5 per cent in 1984. problems, the institutions were abroad, for some time the snubbing a new gilt-edged severest competitor to equity investment. But the mini-fun- investment at home. That is ding crisis since the election, its cheifly a function of currencies. recent part resolution and Mr. The dollar's pre-eminence must Lawson's determination to end sometime, but when? break that particular log-jam, all point to a much tighter position election uncertainty takes hold in future. especially if the early next year but it might be relative penury of the building too late for London equities.

societies continues. After a relatively slack period last year, when the inflow into pension funds actually dipped with the weight of redundancies, stockbrokers Grievefigures was that there is still son Grant expect institutional plenty of money around to cash flow to rise by 9 per cent invest. But the position has this year and 8.5 per cent next year. That would provide more than £1 bn extra each year.

problem because, on the evi- intriguing question is what will the provincials this year and It could linger until

Portsmouth and Sunderland

Portsmouth and First quarter to 2.7.83 Pretax poarter to 2.7.65 Pretax profit 2833,000 (2851,000) Stated earnings 6.3p (5.0p) Turnover 28.0m (7.4m) Share price 159p, up 3p Singlo Group

Single Group Year to 2.4.83 (53 weeks) Pretax profit £1.5m (£1.17m) Stated earnings 4.41p (3.545p) Turnover £51.7m (£40.7m) Net dividend 1.45p (1.25p) Share price 531/40, up 2p Yield

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tial level.

made their full contibution.

Single Group has carved out an interesting niche in the South-west of England's retail market against tough, competition from operators such as Tesco and Asda

Prices are similiar to those at Kwik Save which offers about 1,000 lines. The difference is hat Singlo has a minimum of 6,000 supermarket offers on its shelves. Prices are probably 8 per cent to 12 per cent cheaper than at competing conventional supermarkets - and probably a fifth lower than those at the conventional village shop.

The stores trade under the Norman's banner and were formed as a result of a takeover in 1979 after rationalization of tea estates. There are still plantations in Malawi which turned in profits of £257,000 against £83,000 after a record crop and auction prices up by two-fifths. Singlo has a soft drinks business which has just

acquired a R. Whites franchise. Profits should continue to grow this year and Singlo could turn in £1.75m. Capital expenditure should be down on last year's £1.5m as the company

Evode seeks £3.9m | Nottingham cash for expansion

Except for the Irish oper-Evode, the adhesives and insulation products group, is ations, business was bouyan across the board because of the following better-than-expected upturn in the building cycle and interim profits with a £3.9m the improvement in consumer rights issue of £1 nominal for spending. With the second half every four shares held of 8 per making seasonally higher con-tributions, the full year's result cent convertible loan stock. At the same time Equity Capital for Industy is subscribcould reach £2.3m pretax. Members of the family of the ing at par for £500,000 of new 8

chairman, Mr A. H. Simon, who hold 42 per cent of the per cent cumulative redeemable preference shares. equity are not taking up their rights to £1.67m of the new The new capital is intended to expand the existing business stock and ECI has said that it and make further acquisitions. will subscribe for £550,000 of Purchases over the past 18 the stock in addition to their months have cost the company preference shares. £3.6m net and capital expendi-

ture is continuing at a substan-The stock will be converted at a rate of 97 ordinary shares per £100 nominal in April between 1987 and 2003. First half profits rose 45 per cent to £865,000 on a 12.7 per cent rise in turnover to £22.9m. The figures in the first half of

The interim dividend has been boosted by 20 per cent to 0.7116 pence per share last year were hit by the costs of The shares closed at 101p acquiring and integrating the new businesses, which this time yesterday, unchanged on

profits rise 11%

Nottingham Manufacturing Spencer supplier, showed a solid rate of growth during the first half of calendar 1983 with pretax profits 11.1 per cent higher at £6.85m on turnover 6 per cent better at £90.49m.

The interim has been raised to 1.35p per share from 1.2p. Once again, the company's hefty cash holdings added the spice with investment income umping 15.5 per cent to £2.96m. Trading profits ben-efited from the slightly easier pricing environment as well as the continued powering forward of its key customer. Margins correspondingly rose slightly enabling growth of 7.9 per cent

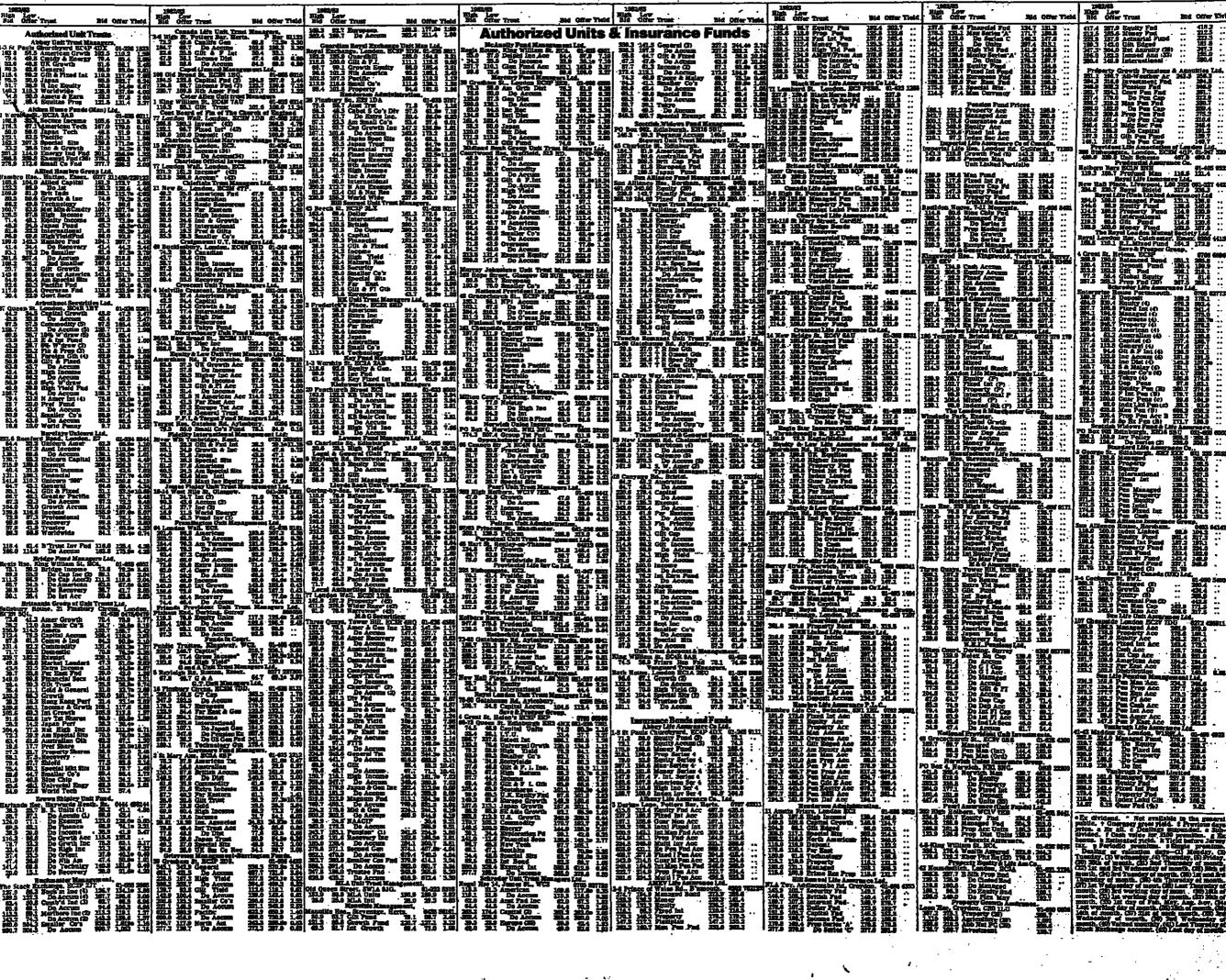
at the trading level. The market had hoped for better things, however, and the shares closed down 8p yesterday at 216p.

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Cairns swings to a record but England stick in a groove

HEADINGLEY: New Zealand, bounce. Now they made 226, with all first-innings wickets in though the bounce was lower. hand, are 214 runs behind

The second Test match. sponsored by Cornhill, began with a fairly typical Headingley day, one which the side winning the toss chose to field, and industry and adventurousness were equally rewarded. Tavaré. Lamb a belligernet 58. who made 68 in nearly five hours, and Cairns, with seven for 74 in 33.2 overs, represented one school. Lamb and Botham.

who put bat to ball, the other. Although there was plenty of sunshine, the ball moved about all day. They were just the conditions for Cairns, who came into the game in good form, having just taken seven for 46 against Warwickshire on Tuesday. Being as strong as an ox, the more work he is asked to do the better he likes it.

It was a day not so much for pace as accuracy, and Hadlee and Chatfield bowled 100 short. Cairns, however, wobbled the ball about and pitched it up. The outfield being green and thickly carpeted, the ball never lost its shine. Nowhere does the difference between modern cricket and the game as it was played 30 years ago show up more starkly than here.

The contours of yesterday's play were much the same as on the first day at the Oval. There, England were bowled out for 209 on a pitch of some pace and

Richards inter-city century

Northampton: Northamptonshire, with nine second innings wickets in hand, are 49 runs ahead of

Vivian Richards put all his great artistry and skill on view here yesterday. Only a bandful flanked the boundaries, which was a pity, but how fortunate we few were to mark a majestic hundred, Richards' fourth this season in the championship, sponsored by Schweppes. To see the master's brushwork at work on so a colourful a canvas was enthralling and it put everything into a proper perspective.
Sometimes his ones and twos

were as stimulating as his sixes, and he hit five of these to go with 12 fours in 117 not out made in 114 minutes. Naturally, a century by Lloyds - he is making that an annual event - slipped easily into an interesting background.

A good pitch still stored a great pile of runs. Lloyds knew that, and having hit his highest score, 132 not out in the first innings, and 102 not out in the seconds here last summer. it was easy to understand his being keen to have another shot at emulating his feat. In the circumstances it was inevitable also, that be an expensive miss as Kallicharhis innings would be likened more train than a flamboyant inter-city flyer, and by luncheon, when Somerset came in at 145 for two, Lloyds has made 56 of 106 runs in the morning from 41 overs.

Following another bout of joudsting with Mallender, Ollis had done well to reach 45 before bowing out to Griffiths' perserverance and, cutting a ball to cover, Lloyds skipped lightly up the pitch to embrace his 100. It had taken himm 214 minutes. With respect, watching these two had been an ordeal. But, perhaps, that was because we knew the great man to be lurking in the

MORTHAMPTOMSHIRE: First landings 336 for 5 dec. (D. J. Capel, 108 mol. cust., D. S. Sueda, 54, F Wiley 52, W Landons 50; J Garmer 4 for 58). Second Innings

G Cook not out. Total (1 wkt) FALL OF WICKET: 1-31 J W Lloyd b W Total (7 wids dec)

T Gent and S Booth did not but FALL OF WICKETS: 1- 22, 2- 58, 3-170, 4-172, 5-268, 6-261, 7-283. 90WLING: Kapii Dev 14-2-33-0; Mallender 19-5-47-1; Williams 16-0-65-1; Griffiths 18-4-55-2; Willey 18-3-49-1; Stoole 16-2-78-1.

Umpires: R Julian and H D Bird.

DERBY: Laicesterainte 363 to 4 (N-E Briers 135 not out, M A Gernham 84 not out) and 130 for 6 (T J Boon 60 not out); Derbyshire 232 (J A Actileon 8 for 80 Addison 8 for 80).
TAUNTON: Somerset 194 and 174 for 5 (N A Felton 68 not out): Lancashire 151 (G V Palmer

NAMERIELD: Northemptonshine 217 (J J Yardiey 80 not out; R S Maru 4 for 55, J Sykes 4 for 50) and 135 for 2 (M J Bamber 88 not out); Relictieses 236 (C-P Metaon 74, C Cook 50; TRENT BREGGE Yorkshine 404 for 6 (P Robinson 142) S Randes 140 not out; Nottinglasshine 158 (J Damis 8 for 53) and 168 for 7 (M A Sel 57; I Symblow 4 for 57).

Tavare went grinding on, timing only the occasional ball sweetly yet fighting every inch of the way. His was a valuable innings of the sort they admire in Yorkshire, especially when it is played by Boycott, Botham made a swashbuckling 38,

Fowler had a wretched time of it. Until now, his firt-innings scores for England had been 9. 7. 11. 4 and 1. Yesterday he made nine in 65 minutes, his front leg and bat going down one line, the ball down another. With Tavare offering only the deadest of bats. England scored 15 in the 18 overs of the first

Though not hot, it was warm enough to warrant an interval for drinks in each session. Immediately after the first of them. Fowler was caught at the wicket, on the front foot to Chatfield. The ball was moving about enough for him to edge Cairns to second slip in the twenty-sixth over. As Lamb looked to attack from the time he came in, his air shot featured prominely in his first half hour at the wicket.

At lunch England were 50 for two after 33 overs. Tavaré 20 quarter-of-an-hour of the afternoon, Lamb peppered Chatfield

By Richard Streeton

second innings wickets in hand, lead Warwickshire by 30 runs.

hiting by Humpage rescued Warwickshire yesterday when Kent's bowlers threatened to take control. Humpage shed his more rustic strokes and mostly kept the bell on the ground as he mode his

ball on the ground as he made his

summer. Kent lost Taylor in the last

Warwickshire's openers, helped by a close set field and a fast outfield, began with a spate of

boundaries against the quicker bowlers before Underwood started a

long, economical speil. Sunshine had replaced yesterday's haze and

batting was always easier than the

There was a time when David

Smith, with his correct, upright style, looked a budding England player, but these days it is probably

the left-handed Lloyd who is ahead of him in this respect. Underwood separated them when Lloyd gave a return catch against a slower ball.

Underwood also bowled Smith,

playing forward, and had figures of two for six in 11 overs when Kallichartan, on 12, was dropped

Immediately after lunch, though,

Kallicharran was caught behind as

he tried to cover drive a rather wide ball from Jarvis. It was relevant at

this point to wonder if Warwick-

shire would save the follow-on, but

off him at long-on. It threaten

Aggressive but always responsible

EDGBASTON: Kent, with

short-arm punches that left and Coney at second slip taking Martin Crowe, fielding absurdly a high left-handed catch. close at short leg, lucky to be

Tavarê, meanwhile, kept propping forward. Between lunch and tea his attacking strokes were a square drive in Bracewell's only over, the first of the afternoon, a straight drive and an on drive in the same over from Hadlee and a square cut against Chatfield. Of the 40 runs which Tavaré and Botham made together, Tavare's share was two.

Lamb was out to a marvellous catch. Forcing Cairns hard off his legs he seemed hardly to believe it when Jeff Crowe, diving to his left in front of the square leg umpire, held the ball far away, low down and twohanded.

Botham played as he did when he said to Dilley against Australia in 1981, with England staring defeat in the face. "Let's have a bit of fun." Beginning with a pull off Cairns, nearly for six, he then took 18 in an over off Chatfield. This time, though, before too much damage had been done, Cairns had Botham caught at slip, the stroke more tentative than Botham might care to admit.

Botham was fifth out at 175, after which England lost their last five wickets for another 50 against the boundary boards at runs. Randall was unlucky,

Amiss took most of Underwood's

howling until he was rested and Humpage then began his assault. His first fifty included 10 fours, mostly with drives and strokes off

his legs and he went on to pull Johnson for two successive sixes.

Humpage had scored 74 of the 111 added for the fourth wicket when

Humpage, who made 92 between lunch and tea, came closest to giving a chance at 60 when a pull against Johnson landed safely in front of

deep backward square leg. He had batted only two hours and a half when he was finally caught at wide mid-off. Paul Smith and Ferreira

punished a tired attack before the

KENT: First lanings 364 (M R Berson 102, A S E Knott 92, N R Taylor 51, W Hogg 5 for 63). : Second lanings

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FALL OF WICKET: 1-10.

Humpage checks

Kent's progress

Tavaré eventually gave Smith his third catch of the innings, his forward defence at last letting him down. Willis went to a very good tumbling catch at third man and Cowans to a simpler one at deep long leg.

Cairns had bowled from the football stand end for most of the day and obviously enjoyed it. He is the first New Zealander to have taken seven wickets in an innings against England.

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NEW ZEALAND: First innings

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Yesterday's hero: Cairns pointing the way for New Zealand

Spinners fail to exploit cold weather and heavy clouds

By Peter Ball SOUTHPORT: Gloucestershire, with eight second innings wickets in hand, are 76 runs behind Lanca-

shire.

In spite of bordering Trafalgar Road, the surrounding semi-detached houses of Birkdale make Southport cricket ground an unlikely setting for a grim battle. But that on an inhospitably cold day under heavy clouds, was exactly what we got as Lancashire grafted their way slowly but surely to a first timines lead and then hegan the task innings lead and then began the task of whittling Gloucestershire out for

It was a frustrating time for Gloucestershire, until bad light came to their aid in the closing session. They fielded exceptionally well. Broad, somehow, held on to the ball as he was faid flat by his captain suffering a cut lip and loosened tooth in a collision, to dismiss Maynard and Hicknall's brilliant pick up and throw left Nasir Zaidi stranded. In truth, however, their spinners failed to use the helpful conditions as well as they should.

Any hopes that the carefree Any hopes that the carener batting of the previous evening would be continued were soon removed. Clive Lloyd suffering a rush of blood and being stumped by a yard minutes after his partnership with Abrahams had reached the 150

The captain's dismissal left Abrahams, his trusty first lieutenant FALL OF WICKETS: 1-80, 2-93, 8-133, 4-244, 5-272, 6-282. tyro Fairbrother with the responsi-bility of insuring that their potential BOWLING: Jarvis 17-6-48-2; Baptiste 18-2-88advantage was realized. They discharged it with due seriousness, if

Thomas's

maiden

century

The depleted and largely inexperi-

to his maiden century here

lost half their wickets for 171, still needing 51 for the lead. In the next

before he was run out. Apart from 17 fours, Thomas hit two of the seven sixes in the innings. Graham Monkhouse followed his

best bowling performance by helping Thomas to add 107 in 29 overs for the seventh wicket when Surrey finally declared with a lead of

In seven overs before the close

Nottinghamshire scored 11 without loss. Robinson batted with a runner

after being struck on a leg by a fierce

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE: First Innings 221 Robinson 92; G Monkhouen 7 for 51). Second Innings

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Thomas arrived when Surrey had

tes he hit 119 out of 213

to have regained its spitefulness. Abrahams was the more confi-dent, but he was the first to go when Graveney found one to keep low

and hurry through after they had put on fifty. If anything that only encouraged Pairbrother to still greater circums-pection. His pads made as frequent contact as his bat for the first two hours of his occupation, occasio considerable consternation and entinual shouts of "catch it" among the hovering close fielders. But if his imnings did little to reveal his undoubted talents it spoke volumes for his character.

It was also an invaluable one for his side. The little left-hander quided them to a sizable lead on this pitch at any rate as he batted for only twelve minutes short of four hours before becoming the ninth wicket to fall, succombing to the

Landmark

reached

by Neale

trouble at 92 for three before Neale

and Damien D'Oliveira (34 not out)

put on an unbroken 71 in the last 50

minutes. Worcestershire have a

batting because of a dislocated finger and Glamorgan are still in a good position to challenge for their first championship win of the

Alan Lewis Jones (62) and Hugh Morris, with a drab 27 in 190 minutes, extended their first innings

beyond lunch in a stand of 93 in 45 overs. Morris hit only two fours.

both behind the wicket, during his stay before he ran himself out for 27 in calling Jones for a bye. Damian D'Oliveira, the deputy wicket keeper, fumbled the ball initially.

but recovered in time to hit the stumps from his standing back

six for a lead of 80. Jones was 58 not out. Then Paul Pridgeon broke through by dismissing Jones in a new ball spell of three for 10 in six

Glamorgan had reached 207 for

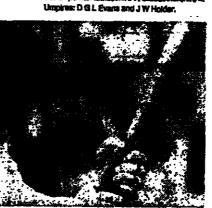
from defeat.



FALL OF WICKETS: 1-25, 2-54,

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Score at 100 overs: 257 for 5. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-9, 2-11, 3-22, 4-172, 5-225, 6-271, 7-297, 8-309, 9-312, 10-330



Abrahams: a trusty lieutenant in a defiant stand

Night-watchman East fulfils his duties

HOVE: Sussex, with seven innings wickets in hand, are 78 runs

THE OVAL: Nottinghamshire, with WORCESTER: Worcestershire with all second innings wickets in hand second innings wickets in are 146 runs behind Surrey hand, lead Glamorgan by 32 runs. There was no excitement here Worcestershire's captain, Phil rday to compare with Gooch's worcestershire's captain, Phil vene of the Surrey left flander torn apart by the Surrey left flander torn apart by the Surrey left flander torn apart by the Surrey left flander aggressive attempt to save his side cavalry charge of Wednesday cvening. Nevertheless Essex, on a day of sea glitter and hot sun, built up a useful lead of 180, after which Lever and Foster brought Sussex to aggressive attempt to save his side After trailing by 131 following Glamorgan's seven hour crawl to a total of 258. Worcestershire were in the edge of ruin.

> East's 91 was by some way his highest championship score, and it would have looked a handsome innings by most regular No 3 county Hardie, in contrast, was so content to languish admiringly at the other end that while East moved

> David East, the nightwatchman, so zealously fulfilled his duties that he survived the luncheon interval.

from eight to 73, Hardie crawled from 29 to 41. When Hardie did iage a run a disgruntled member bawled out: "That wasn't Hardie, was it, I thought he'd died". Hardie's turgid effort came to an end when he jumped out to Waller

and was stumped. McEwen bowled sweeping at Waller and with Fletcher soon bowled too. Essex descended from 262 for one to 290 Pringle, in his dreamy fashion,

batted adequately for an hour but Sussex's quicker bowlers pitched far too short and in the considerable hear the fielding bordered on the

slovenly. Waller ended up with five wickets

start, Mendis being caught at the wicket off a lifting bail from Foster, Barclay soon followed, Lever hitting his off stump. Foster, bowling a much better length than on Wednesday, now caused a ball to fly and Cough was second to leave and Cowan was scooped down behind the wicket. SUBSEIC First Innings 217 (I J Gould 58 po out, J K Lever 5 for 40

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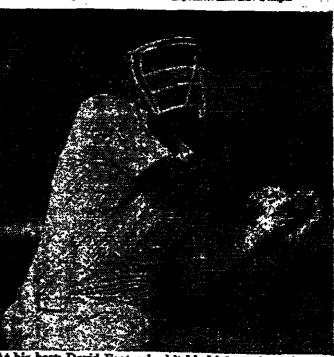
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Score at 100 owens 251 for 7 FALL OF WICKETS: 1-138, 2-262, 3-267, 4-268, 5-290, 6-325, 7-361, 8-372, 8-396, 10-367,

BOWLING: Plantt 11-1-56-1; Reeve 21-5-48-1 Jones 15-1-68-1; Walter 42-1-7-125-6; C M Waltel. 1-2-21-0; Berclay 8-2-12-0; Imrah 4.5-0 16-1; Couran 3-1-3-0 Bonus Pointe: Susseys 5, Essey 8.



At his best: David East, who hit his highest championship

Striking US lead ablow in a day of protests

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oldschool

PORTSMOUTH: Derbyshire, with

nine second innings wickets in hand, lead Hampshire by 154 runs

If you go to Portsmouth to watch

seem to me as good sightnercens as

you could expect on a festival

This decree, however, places a severe restriction on those who like

to stroll about, I can envisage that

Jesty had only scored a couple of

The Hampshire crowd, quite a large one, lazed happily. Nicholas went to a bandsome 50. Terry, who is becoming to come into his own (he was educated at Milifield), and I am sure R. J. O. Meyer would approve of him, was leg before wicket shortly before tea.

Nicholas reached his century

soon afterwards. Since I have given a plug to Millfield. I must also give one to Bradfield, where Nicholas was educated, though I do it a shade more reluctantly, since Bradford is a socter school, When Nicholas reached his century. Pocock declared behind.

This was probably wise, but Barnett will find it difficult to choose his moment to declare. It is

an easy pitch on which to stay in, but extravagant strokes are liable to pay penalties. Besides, there are those bothersome people who walk behind sight screens.

DERBYSHERE: First Innings 518 (C J Tene 91, J H Hampshire 84; M D Marshall 4 for Second Innings

HAMPONICE: First inninge Greenidge c and b Mortimen..... Emits a Meher b Turnisitie

BOWLING: Morrennet 29-1-78-1; Oldh 22-5-8-55-1; Firmey 14-3-40-0; Timpicille 17 47-2; Miller 7-1-30-0. Bonus points: Hampahler 7, Derbyshire 5. Umpires: W E Alley and A Japann.

Total (1 wkt)

ALL OF WICKET: 1-62.

YACHTING

gle,

boats of the two leading teams played a crucial part in the result of yesterday's second race in the Champagne Mumm Admirals Cup at Cowes. The computed results cricket, you are asked, of course, not to walk in from of the sightscreen when the bowling is from your end. They are getting tough, now, the authorities. You are not according to the announces, allowed to walk behind the sightcreen, either. They showed that the first two piness on corrected time were taken by Scarlet O'Hans (M Wingste) and Locura (G DeGuardiola) from the United States. Third and fourth places were filled by Shockwave (N Crichton) and Lady Be (P Blake) of the New Zealand team and, when their respective third boats were taken into account, the Americans led the New Zealanders by 26 points to stroll acoust, I can envisage that fussy batsmen are soon going to demand sightscreen extensions. They will spread from mid off to mid on, and gradually all round the ground. Then, with nobody allowed to walk either behind or in front of them, all will be peace, perfect peace, except for Bill Frindle hovering in his helicopter.

A protest by Lady Be against the third American boat, Shenaudoah (W Palmer) resulted in Shenandoal the in penalized 15 places costing the Americans a similar number of points. Black Topic (Dixon Atkinn) of the British ream isalso involved in two protests, so the defending placed than they are at present.

hovering in his aencoper.

It was another hot day, and less humid. The pitch played well. Hampshire began at five for no wicker, 314 behind. They made hisk progress, three or four runs an over. Smith was first our, caught at the wicket at \$2. Greenidge was smartly caught and bowled by Mortensen, just after lunch, at 122. Ignoring this possibility for the time being, they acheived more points yesterday than in the first race on Wednesday, but only remained in tenth place in the tean standings. The three boats finished in the same order as on the previous day with the captain. Graham Walker in ladulgence placed infecenth across the finishing line singles when he was leg before to Oldham. This was rather frincing and eleventh on corrected time.
dragon (Brian Saffery Cooper) was
22nd and 17th, with Black Topic
fortieth to finish and 39th of the 45 away the good start. But Nicholas and Terry settled down, and soon the runs began to flow again. The Derbyshire bowing was tidy, no more. Their fielding was steady. entries on corrected time.

Black Topic's poor showing way a result of the first windward leg, which set the pattern for the remainder of the thirty mile race. She rounded the mark in 36th place and was never able to claw her way back into contention. Conditions were such that places tended to change only in relation to the size of the boats concerned. Whereas un Wednesday the larger boats that sailed well were relatively well placed on handicap, yesterday's far quicker race, with a more compact spread of linishing times, was not to their advantage.

Today's event, the third of the series of five, is the Channel race, in which the Admirats Cup competitors will be joined by a Royal Ocean Racing Club fleet of 130 boats. The course of 217 miles is probably the last chance for the British team to gain contact with the present leaders. British bouts have traditionof the series and the present team are confident they will do the same.

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Topic, 22.

EQUESTRIANISM

Broome puts Britain in contention

By Jenny MacArthur

A superb performance by David Broome on Mr Ross put Britain into second place after the first part of the European team championship, sponsored by Silk Cut, at Hickstead

yesterday.

The Swiss are the overnight leaders but as only 14 points separate the first four teams today's open. The West Germans, the defending team champions, and the Austrians are in third and fourth

places respectively.

All four of the Swiss team, who include Heidi Robbiani the only woman in the champinoships, put up fine performances. Walther Gabathuler, on Beethoven, first to go of the four, set the standard for his team with a clear round in 83.95sec. It remained the winning individual spore and Gabathuler is individual score and Gabathuler is well placed for the individual title which has its final on Sunday.

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Nor did Gabathuler's fellow team members fail him. Willy Melliger on Van Gogh are bying second individually after a clear round which was just two seconds slower than Gabathuler's. Thomas Fuchs. on Willom Swiss, also had a fas on Willora Swiss, also nad a tast, clear round and is lying sixth. Mrs Robbiani went at her usual impressive pace on Jessica but a fence down added seven penalty

Harvey Smith, on Sanyo Olympic Video, the first to go for Britain, had an untypical stop at the first part of a large double - a narrow upright fence which caused much of the trouble during the afternoon. Smith, whose score was discounted - the best three count in this competition - also knocked down the penultimate fence, a big oxer.
Broome and Mr Ross, the horse

which replaced the injured Last Resort produced an effortless clear round, fully justifying their last minute inclusion in the team. Broome is lying seventh.

John Whitaker, on Ryan's Son.

and Malcolm Pyrah, on Towerlands Anglezarke, both produced the fast run expected of them but each had a fence down. If the British are to overtake the Swiss today there will be no room for error.

Ronnie Massarella, the Chef d'Equip, was optimistic about the team's chances today and said: "We are in with a chance - we can win, it's a good position to be in. I'd say we have even money bet to come from behind."

David Broome said: "Compared with what I thought might have happened for the team to be in second place is like a dream come

The West German team, who were without the world champion Norbert Koof, whose horse, Sire, is lame, received a much needed boost to their score when the last to go. Paul Schockemohle, who is defending his European individual title, on Deister, went clear in \$6.4 seconds to go into third place individually.



Blow for Surrey: Smith is caught by Hassan off Such's body

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Botus points: Worcestershire 2. Glamorosn 6.

Umpires: G Cook and J H Harris.

when he got back to the stables," said Major Hern, "We'll put a poultice on him tonight and we should be a supply of

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disqualification of Vacarne, Ecil was, nevertheless, delighted to watch Trojan Pen prove far 100 strong for Elegant Air and Captain Singleton in the Champagne Stales. "Ten't have any firm plans for any of them at present, as there are also Precocious and Mr Niarchos' other two-year-olds Millbow to consider, said the trainer, who conflictmed that

at Warren Place by announcing the Mill Reef Stakes, and the Dewhurst

Stakes as the targets for Daniel Wildenstein's hyphard colt

Piggott is still considering appealing against his sentence and Vacarne's disqualification but Cecil thinks it will be a waste of time.

Barry Hills had his third success
of the meeting when Hollywood
Party made amends for disappointment in the Bunbury and Stewards

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Morris must work

fast at Southend

manager, John Bond, expects to complete the signing today. The Plymouth striker Jeff Cook joined the fourth division club Halifax Town on a free transfer yesterny.

Cook, aged 30, scored 21 goals in 54

league appearances for Plymouth in two seasons. He had joined them from Stoke in 1981 for a fee of

yielded a profit of £285,000 for West

Nottingham Forest are hoping to attract cash from Saudi Arabia into East Midlands Business houses. Representatives of leading Saudi club, Al Hilal, are to spend a month in Nottingham preparing for their new football season. Last winter Forest clusted a match sening Al

Feaver is

thinking

of Chile

Cup claim yesterday with a victory over Richard Lewis in the ESAB tennis tournament in Newcastle. And he is out to underline his bid for a place in Britain's team with a win over Christopher Mottram, seeded No I, in the semi-finals

place in the side to meet Chile in a

play-off at the end of September. He

said after yesterday's win: "I find it

a bit strange that I have been ranked one or two in doubles for the last

one or two in doubles for the last seven years and never played a Davis Cup doubles.

"I think Buster and John Lloyd will be picked for the singles against Chile and I don't expect to play. But if they are looking for a doubles player who can step into the singles if necessary, I think I could be the

form and I know a win over Buster

Paul Hutchins sit up, Buster's a very good player, but I am after him."

with a 6-4, 6-1 victory over Rod Coull. The other semi-final features

Rod Frawley of Australia, against Mark Cox. Both bad comfortable

wins yesteray, Cox beating Nick Fulwood, the 12th ranked British

player, while Frawley disposed of John Paish. In today's ladies final, 19-year-old

Peter Morris, aged 39, is to be
Southend United's new manager.
He was formerly employed in the
same capacity at Peterborough
United During his days as a
midfield player Morris was at
Ipswich Town, Norwich City and
Peterborough before he took over as
manager, of Manafield Town careen

erborough before he took over as nager of Mansfield Town seven

years ago. There he replaced Dave Smith as he has today. The former England captain Bobby Moore was among the candidates interviewed

Morris has a two-year contract and intends to spend his first few days at Southend seeking new

players. With a player strength of only 10, including scallesses.

been forced to cancel a home match

against West Ham United, on Monday because of their inability to field a full side.

Alan Ashman, a former manage of West Bromwich Albion an

of West Bromwan Albaon and Carlisle United, has been appointed assistant manager of Rereford United. He joins forces with John Newman again after serving as chief coach at Derby County when Newman was in charge at the

aschall Ground.

David Harvey, a former Scottish

goalkeeper, is to captain Leeds United next season. Harvey re-turned to Leeds last season after a

Oventry City will have to pay Cardiff City £100,000 for the striker

Dave Bennett. The transfer fee was decided by a Football League ribunal at Lytham St Annes

AMERICA'S CUP

Victory 83

trailing

Canada 1

Newport (Reuter) - The Canadian racht, Canada I, regained second place yesterday in trials to choose an

America's Cup challenger with a convincing win over Australia's yacht, Advance. Canada I entsailed

Advance over the 24.3 mile course by 2 min 11 sec.

But despite the victory the yacht remained well behind Australia II, which maintained its commanding

Britain's Victory '83 by 2 min 42 sec. As a result the British beat

dropped to third place.

Italy's Azzura, always good in light conditions, climed to fourth place by defeating Australia's Challenge 12, which is now fifth. But less than one point separated the four boats trailing Australia II at the Communication of the four boats trailing Australia II at

choose which boat defeads the America's Cup for the United States in September also ended today, with

seven-axile course it was ahead by I min 10 sec and 42 sec at the finish.
Only the third race proved a real contest. Courageous led two-thirds of the way up th first leg, but then Liberty broke through after a brief tacking duel and had a 43 second lead at the first turning mark. Despite his boat's long string of defeats, Couragnous's skipper, John Kolins, said he still hopes to finish

hallenger in the trials, Defender.

Today's pairings for the chal-lengers will be Victory's '83 versus Azzarra, Canada I against France 3 and Challenge 12 against Advance. Australia I2 against Advance. Australia II take the day off.

club, will next season experiment with a "bussing" operation designed

RUGBY LEAGUE

Swinton seek support

Several Rugby League clubs, ground, and the prices of around £2 faced with falling gates and will cover a seat in the ground in increased costs, are taking drastic action. Swinton, the second division

sec. As a result the dropped to third place.

for the Southend post.

Young Scot who stole thunder from big guns

lead with the American, Corey gathered six bindies with p Pavin, in the £66,000 German that ranged from 6ft to 30ft. Open, sponsored by Lufthansa, on the Cologne course here

Drummond and Pavin both completed rounds of 67, five under par, and they lead by one stroke from a group of six players which includes Severiano Ballesteros and Paul Way.

On occasions, Drummond looks an extremely good prospect. He can string together a ance money, seems to have len succession of solid strikes, but a bitter taste in his mouth. "I then, out of the blue, makes the kind of carcless error which will sabotage a score. He collected seven birdies on his way round the flat course but he failed to take advantage of the long ninth and 18th holes because of vayward drives.

Pavin, who played for the United States in the Walker Cup in 1981, turned pro-fessional last September. He soon emphasised his potential by winning the South African PGA championship in January. Now, he is fast providing evidence of his winning capa-

Muirfield

Americans

By Lewine Mair

Level after the first two of the

morning foursomes, Great Britain and Ireland took the lunchtime lead

osition for the American club

- baffles

Ross Drummond, a former Scottish boy international, took the spotlight from some of the stars by sharing the first round lead with the American Corey Pavin in the \$66,000 German

mined to keep the captain, Tony Jacklin and company waiting until the eleventh hour in terms of playing in the Ryder Cup. His non-selection two years ago, during which time he had been in dispute with the PGA European tour over the controversial subject of appearwas playing as well then as I am now," he says, "Now, it is my decison, and I might not make

moment." The decision now belongs to Ballesteros because the leading 2 players in the official money list, following the Tournament Players Championship in September automatically qualify to compete against the United States in Florida, in October. Since Ballesteros has already won £40.000, there is no doubt that he is home and dry.

The Spaniard could now

up my mind until the last

Sparkes frustrates gallant McEvoy

With the relentless wind making Murfield a still more baffling in his attempt to add the English title to his credentials when he was beaten two and one by Ian Sparkes Ireland were ahead by 4½ matches to 1½ at the end of the first day's play in the PGA cup match sponsored by Bell's Whisky. of Fendown after a brave recovery in the fourth round at Wentworth.

the two players in the morning might have suggested that McEvoy would come fresher to the lay, since and had a couple of hours to spare before being called to the tee again. Sparkes had been taken to the 19th

As was the case in the other matches, the scoring was far from distinguished. Seltzer and Lendzion were four over par after three holes Sparkes must have been encouraged, however, to find McEvoy in such poor touch that he was five up at the turn. Nothing revives flagging spirits more than a glimpse of glory and McEvoy gave his opponent that and 11 over when they pulled up at the 15th - statistics which must have had them feeling thankful that nt with a five at the short second, where he was bunkered, and another at the third, they were such a long way from where like many another dis-tinguished player before him, hurrying to get back to their shops but, with no such commitment this McEvoy putted up the slope to a flag week, it took a slow play warning to keep things on the move yesterday perched just at the top and watched the ball trickle back to this feet.

Three halved holes were follow could do little about the seventh, for Sparkes pitched to four feet, but the eighth and ninth will surely haunt him, the eighth called for a tee shot to the right of the fairway, allowing the ball to eather pace down the

amused by the players' reactions... were to blame agreed to help. He then falked to the Americans who, having acknowledged that the game could be faster, murmered that the British pair were "very slow".

referee, sopks to the members of his four ball - John Chillas, David Dunk, Gene Borek and Kevin

Morris - on the 11th tee after they had taken two hours and 40 minutes

Dr Greenhough had been much

Things did, however, begin to liven up. One down after the 16th, Chillas and Dunk ultimately squared the game when Dunk holed a nasty seven foot putt on the last

REBILTS Great British and Ireland names first; Foursonnes M Ingham and A Thomson lost to L. Gibert and T. Robertson 4 and 2: 9 Cameron, P Wester bt. J King, J Logue 5 and 4; J Farmer, M Gary bt. J Seltzer, B Lendzion 4 and 3. Foursonnes results GB and 12 US 1.

Newton plans to remain in game

Sydney (AFP)—The Australian golfer, Jack Newton, has now lost the sight of his right eye, his wife announced at the Prince of Wales Hospital here yesterday. Newton, aged 33, had his right arm severed and suffered severe internal injuries when he walked into the propeller. when he walked into the propellor of a single-engined plane on Sunday.

Mrs Newton said that her husband will not end his involve-ment with the game. She thinks he will become a commentator. Newton's condition is now described as serious but stable.

Peter McEvoy, twice a winner of into a gully, from which there was the British Amateur championship. no alternative to a penalty drop, to was yesterday once again frustrated be followed by a third shot from McEvoy set himself up spl

with a long straight tee shot at the ninth, but his second was a mid-iron the fourth round at Wentworth.

The comparative experiences of railway fence. He finally had a fourfoot putt for a five, but was neve given the chance, since Sparkes holed from 20 feet for a four. A four by Sparkes at the short tenth gave by Sparkes at the short tenth gave McEvoy an opening, but, alsa, be took four, putties weakly from six feet after chipping from doen the

Rallesteros: bitter taste

inrease his earnings by taking the £11,000 first prize this week.

He moved within striking

distance with a typical thrust

that brought birdies at each of

his last three holes. Ballesteros,

however, was not amused by the speed of play. Both he, and Rodger Davis, his playing

partner, registered their annoy ance with officials. Davis sax

that on this course they should

take 30 minutes less than the

four hours 20 minutes which

Amateur Champion, opened his

career as a professional with

round of 74. Understandably

he looked a little nervous at th

start, especially on the greens

satisfied after missing only two

fairways and one green.

Martin Thomson, the 1982

was required.

of victory, for his game began to wilt. He sliced his tee shot badly at the eleventh and in spite of a kindly lie he lost the hole by taking three putts from off the green. At the next, too, his tee shot described a pronounced are and left him a long way from home on the right side of the fairway. McEvoy, then, began to whittle away his opponent's lead until he came to the 17th only one

Yorkshire player, had become the first competitor to reach the last eight, beating Mark Dixon of Smuinedale, by six and five. He eight, beating Mark Dixon of Sunningdale, by six and five. He takes the place of another Yorkshireman in the draw, Martin Thompson, the seed who defected to the professional ranks. Bottonley, last year's England Boys' captain, put Dixon on the rack over the opening holes and never looked like relinquishing his grip. He won the third and urth with Dixon marooned in bunkers, and the fifth, where he putted from a gravel path

POURTH ROUND: P Hadges bt C Francis 3 and 2: P MeEbroy bt R Stomen 5 and 4: A Oldcorn bt G Grittins 7 and 8; A Brewer bt M Lawrence, 20th hole: 1 Sperimes bt N Taylor, 19th beles: 5 Harner bt M Davis 1 hole: 8 Sottomies bt S Harner bt M Davis 1 hole: 8 Sottomies bt S Wood 3 and 2: M Dizon bt R N Fermar 1 hole. P Robinson bt M Schess 6 and 4: P Downes. bt G Lashford 4 and 3; J Robinson bt R Lawrence of Thole; J Plasdon bt M Privar 3 and 2; N Cheeses it J Samethurst 3 and 2; D Parkin bt A Broedway 3 and 2; D Carrence bt J Simmance 4 and 3; A Sherborne bt J Robeon 3 and 2.

Parkin's sail set fair

Phil Parkin, the British amateur champion, had to go to the 17th green to beat O'Sullivan, a five handicapper, in the third round of the Welsh amateur championship at Southerudown, mid-Glamorgan. O'Sullivan missed only one fairway throughout the round and chipped and putted extremely well. Parkin was about level per when the game ended in his favour two and one. ended in his favour two and one.

Another seeded man who had to fight for success was Mayo, a 20 year-old Welsh international from Newport. He came back from being

three down to best Phillips, his Gwent rival.

FOR THE RECORD

McEvoy: brave recovery

Davies, the Welsh stroke play champion from Pontypool, had no difficulty in getting through to the fourth round at the expense of Sykes, who comes from Pontypridd.

SOUTHERBOOMNE Welsh amaker chemplor-ship: Third reunds A P Parkin bt M F Critishess, 2 and 1; E O Jones bt I M Booth, 1 hole; M A Macara bt M Bearcroft, 2 and 1; M Mayo bt R Philips, 2 holes; G Device bt P Sylos, 5 and 4; S P Jones bt J A L Williams 1 hole; B A Griffiths bt P J Beatry, 1 hole; M G Evens bt L R Abuctism, 15th hole; I R Jones bt M W Calvert, 3 and 1; D R H Hughes bt M Bingland, 5 and 4; F K Roberts bt R Weller, 20th hole; J K D Possil bt S S Curle, 1 hole; F M A Morris bt A Dislay, 76th hole; J Burn bt D Seven, 3 and 2; P J Williams bt P K Gloonsfield, 2 and 1.

to bring in support from new areas. The plan is to provide special buses from Blackbarn in East Lancashire, not a Rugby League area. The buses will transport new fans to and from the Swinton

Troon's green pastures

VILLAGE CRICKET

The population of Troon, a tiny village in deepest Cornwall, are keeping Sunday August 28 free in their diaries. Not for the first time the cricket side are within sight of the long trek to Lord's and the Whitbread Village Trophy final.

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Troon, champions in 1972, 1973 and 1976, are someon the least eight of the long trek to Lord's and the least eight of the lorder to reach the quarter-final round. Their tie with Seasy, the beaten finalists in 1976, will give them the opportunity of averaging a defeat by the Yorkshire men two seasons ago.

No fewer than three sets of brothers will play in the game but

CRICKET

HOVE: Suspex v Essex RDGBASTON: Warnickshire v Kent

BASEBALL

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FCOTBALL

NORTH AMERICAN LEAGNEE Colden Bay Earthquailes 4, Montred Marie 3 (affect shoots out; Variobuve: Whitecase 1, Teem America 0 (affect shoot-out; San Diago Societas 3, Fort Leaderlate Schoot-out; San Diago Schoot-out and 1976, are among the last eight from an original entry of over 650 clubs. A six-wicket win over Goatacre from Wiltshire, saw Brian Carter, one of two brothers who played in all three final wins, hit an unbeaten 54. Carew, giants in their own right in the Pembrokeshire league, are Troon's quarter-final opponents this Sunday. They beat Frocester by six wickets and now have the home advantage.
Frenchie, from Scotland, made history by beating Kirkley to become the first side from the north

MODITIONIN, Yorkshire: WPGA fournements second round leading: (3B and Iroland unless stated): 142: D Rold, 69, 73, 140: M Burton, 72, 74, 146: M Thomson, 71, 74; B Hulton, 70, 74, 77, 146: M Thomson, 71, 74; B Hulton, 70, 74, 77, 74; M Thomson, 72, 73, 148: C Sharp, 72, 76, 148: K Ehrnhard (Swo), 75, 74; J Forrest, 71, 78; M Walton, 70, 76; J W Solft, 74, 76, 197: D Doubling, 80, 71; A Wynn, 72, 76; J Smith, 76, 76; M Walton, 76, 76; S Mackennis (Ana), 73, 78; M Walton, 76, 76; M Mackennis (Ana), 73, 78; M Walton, 76, 76; M Mackennis (Ana), 73, 78.

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brothers will play in the game but one of two father and son combinations will be parted by the absence of Sessay's John Flintoff.

visitors. The family connection is furthered here by more brothers,

CHARTER-FRIAL ROUND (Sunday July 31): Career v Troon; Frauchie v Seesth; Longoprish v Langieybury; Cummion or Marchelel v Chaddesley Corbact

IN BRIEF Russians enter

Cardiff City, who had an operational loss of nearly £15,000,

are to reduce the players' bonus money from £90 a win to £50 a win.

Swinton are also reducing pay and bonuses for players, and at Oldham travelling expenses are to be

permit meeting for the first time

The Soviet Union, notable absentees from this season's new athletics permit meetings, have entered a strong team in the first such event - the Budapest grand prix - to be staged in East Europe. The meeting begins today and the Russians are using it as part of their preparation for the World Championships in Helsinki next month.

The Americans, including the 100 The man of the match with 65 in the win over Caldy, Flintoff junior, is on holiday in Greece.

Revenge will also be in the air at Longnarish where Langleybury, their conquerors in 1981, are the lander of the series of the seri pionships in Heisman next mouse.

The Americans, including the 100 metres world record holder, Calvin Smith, will also be well represented. while Kenya, Canada and Australia have entered their full world

BASKETBALL: No action will be BASKETBALLE No action will be taken against either the United States or Taiwan teams after a brawl ended their match in the Malsysian. Open champiomahip in Runla Lumpur on Wednesday. The US was leading 117-76, and that score will stand despite the game ending with 16 seconds remaining, the tournament's technical committee decided vesterday. decided yesterday.

Several people received minor injuries during a chair-throwing melée

GLIDING: Conditions were poor when competitors left for a 244.6 kilometer out and return race to Dunstable via Bicester yesterday. Poor visibility and weak convection. provided a severe test of pilot skill.
Mike Carlton won the Open class
with a speed of 57 kph in his ASW.
22 from Tom Docherty of the
Scotlish Gliding Union.

Lionhearted Soba proves a roaring success in sprint

Soba is bound for the William Hill Sprint championship at York and the Prix de L'Abbaye at Longchamp after her heartwarming triumph in the King George Stakes hip at York

David Chapman's Yorkshire trained heroine stamped herself as the most popular winner of the meeting as she was cheered to the echo on her return to the massiding rards' Cup last year.

Surprisingly, after Soba's amazing I wins last year, this was her first yielded a profit of £285,000 for West Bronswich last season, Robson was sold to United for a British record fee of £2m in a package deal involving Remi Moses and West Bromwich are still receiving substantial intalments from Old ictory of the current campaign. but hearted filly put her seal of authority on the race to gain her first group success after having finished runnerup on the William Hill July Cup, the King's Stand Stakes and the Diadem stakes. "This was the first time she's been right this season," said Chapman, "Soba blew up behind

ment has been negotiated between Norwich City and Pointer Motor Company. Although final details have still to be confirmed the contract allows Pointer the sponsor-John Dunlop's reigning cha pion sprinter will of course Soba's main rival at York. ship of a specific number of matches

The gamble of keeping Sobs in training has now paid a handsome dividend for the four-year-old's breeder, Muriel Hills, who owns the mere in partnership with the trainer.
"She might be kept in training as a five-year-old, though there is always the possibility that she might be

down £250,000 for her pride and joy from Robert Sangster, an offer

This gave the royal trainer his third

success at the meeting and Trojan Fen is now a 33-1 chance for next-year's Derby after giving Cecil his fourth victory of the five-day festival in the Lahson Champagne Despite faltering in the last furions, Little Wolf's winning time of 4min 32.28sec broke the record. ed by Grey Baron in 1977

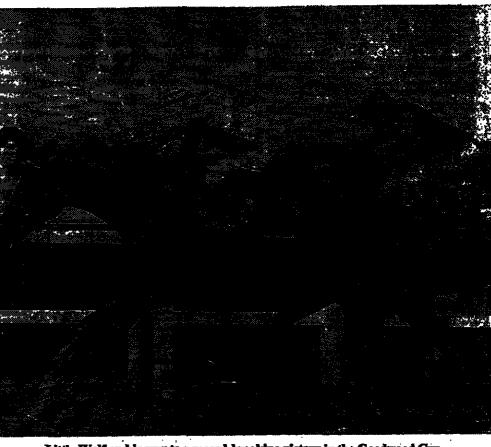
is also the fourth horse to win both the 'Ascot Gold Cup and the Goodwood Cup in the past five years. Both the winner and the That was one of the fastest-run

"That was one of the Rasicst-run stayers' races I've ever taken part in," said Lester Piggott afterwards. But althouth Little Wolf was being pushed along to hold his place by Willie Carson approaching the straight, Lord Porchester's five-year-old appeared tobe holding Karadar comfortably entering the last finting. He then stumbled as if in rain about 100 varies from home. pain about 100 yards from home-and at the winning post had only half a length to spare, Santella Man finihed six lengths further away in

Cups in the Albert Stakes. That wasthe first time I backed him this season," said the Lambourn trainer.
"That was Hollywood Party's first success in his last 16 outings and I am now certain that seven furlong

is his best trip."

And Finally, Henry Candy is now hopeful of repeating his father, Derrick's. 1971 triumph in the Cambridgeshire with King Midss after Mauritzfoutein had recaptured



Little Wolf on his way to a record-breaking victory in the Goodwood Cap

Goodwood results

In today's mores tinas, 19-year-out Lorrayne Gracie, from Lancashire, aims to go one better than her father, Malcolm, who was beaten finalist in the tournament 20 years Miss Gracie wants to win a trophy and meets 19 year-old Kath Berry today.

Abstrains It take the cay wil.

DEFENDERS: Liberty won 20, but 10;
Defender 12, 12; Courageous 8, 15;
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CHALLENGERS: Overall placings: Americals 8
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Challenge 12, 2-25. Also ren: 25 HR, The Heights (40), 33 Alsdorfer (50). TOTE Whit: \$1.30. Places: \$1.00, \$1.70. DF. \$2.00. CS. \$4.00. H Cool at Newmarkst. 1.1, 2.1m 20.77asc.

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(R Seath) 4-8-1 W Osborne (8-1) 2 Basil Boy b c by Jimsun- Sick Chick (8 Haywood) 4-8-5 W Carson (9-2) 3 Also Rar: 11-4 Fav That's My Son, 15-2 Young Daniel (4th, 8 The Ripleyto (6th, 10 Prince Guard, 16 Silver Session (5th), 25 6tg Pal, Oppus Sky, 10 ran.

TOTE: Win: 28.50. Pinces: 21.80, 22.70, 21.50. DF: 288.90. GSF: 244.25. Tricest: 2191.39. H Cardy at Wintage. by 41. 11, 1m, 37.84 sec. NR Korroy, DELE: 210.05 TREBLE: 28.55 JACKPOT: 236.50 PLACEPOT: 28.10.

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Rely On Guy finished first but after a steal inquiry was placed second.

Doncaster

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245 LEEDS HANDICAP 21,57(± 1m 6f) TOTE: Wirt 28.80. Piscer 21.80, E1.40. E1.10. DP. 228.10. CSP: 228.87. P Wighers at Matter etc. 8. Lucury (10-1) 4th. 8 ran. NF: Caro Moste Sm 07.91 sec.

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3.46 BARDSELEY AUCTION STARRS (2-y-c-mations: 21,095.77)
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4.15 SHEFFIELD MANDICAP \$2,117: NO TOTE: Wer 23.00. Planes: 21.20, 24.00, 12.70. DF: 218.10. CSF: 237.36, Thicas: 232.71. R Hobson at Montacp. V. sh td. 12

Cavalier Servente has the Cesarewitch as his target after gaining a clever neck victory over Skyram in the Leeds Handicap, at Doncaster yesterday. The mile and three quarter event developed into a two-horse race, with Cavalier Servente always holding the upper hand.

STATE OF GOMG: Goodwood: Srm. Thrist: Srm. Newswitcht: good to Srm. Tomorow; Windsor: good to Srm. Newton Abbot: Stm. Murket Passett Srm.

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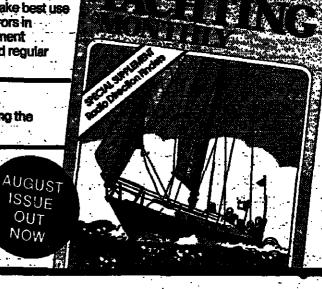
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RACING: EXTEL HANDICAP AT GOODWOOD Gay Lemur looks set to continue the Hobbs revival

By Michael Phillips.

Racing Correspondent Gay Lemur looks a sporting bet to win the Extel Handicap Stakes at Goodwood today now there are clear signs that his trainer, Bruce Hobbs' stable is emerging from the doldrums You name them, we've had them" was Hobbs's remark about the problems that have plagued his horses this season when, with an understandable sigh of relief, he welcomed Sharpish into the winner's enclosure at Goodwood on

Wednesday. That victory, coming so soon after Il Pontevecchio's at Windsor on Monday, was just the sort of encouragement that the worst was over.

Draw advantage: High numbers best

4f) (12 runners)

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2.15 GOLDEN FLEECE STAKES (Selling: £1,117: 1m

2.45 LEWIS GEIPEL HANDICAP (2-y-o: £2,089: 5f):

3.15 JOHN BELL HANDICAP (3-y-o: £2,603: 2m) (5)

4 0122 SNOW MALLARD F Durt 9-7 P. Cook
5 0009 WARGANE C Gray 9-3 Seagrave
8 1230 FINALE SEPT M H Eastarby 9-0 K Hodyson
11 4231 CASTLE DOUGLAS M Proscott 8-10 G Duffield
13 000 MATIN (8) M Camacho 8-6 N Connorton
6-4 Castle Douglas, 2 Snow Mellard, 9-2 Finale Sept, 6 Wargame.

4012 WILD SIDE (B) M W Enstarty 9-2 000 CAPTAIN TOMBLE MISS S Hall 8-11 M Bird 831 COUNTING SEASON (D) C Gray 8-17 0 MR MUSIC BOY M W Enstarty 8-11 D McKeown 9 NOBLE TRAINP W O'GOTHER 8-11 D McKeown 8000 HARDWICK AMBER J Jefferson 8-5 K Dark 3212 JACOHAN E EIGH 8-4 6-1 ZIO PEPPINO A Jarys 8-2 JLOW

Noble Tramp, 100-30 Jacoran, 5 Zio Peppino, 6 Wild Side, 1 I Sesson, 10 Mr Music Boy, 11 Captain Tombie,

3.45 SESSAY STAKES (2-y-o: £1,934: 7f) (8)

BHABURDI CHEWUNJA J Wilson 4-9-0 PEditory JUNP JAR (CD) D Chapman 4-9-0 D Nicholis WALK ALONG W Heigh 4-9-0 S Wabster LTSISTRA R Hobson 4-8-11 J Bilesodale MISS BNIGO M McCormack 4-8-11 J Bilesodale MISS BNIGO M MCCormack 4-8-11 J Seagrave ARMPS DELIGHT Mes S Hell 3-8-2 SACK VEIL M Bileson 3-7-13 R Cochrane EASTER JANE W Heigh 3-7-13 B McGiff 7 PERCYSKIA J Fitzgranid 3-7-13 M Wood REGAL BLISS (B) S Norton 3-7-13 J Lowe FOWNIGA J-2 Junp 1, mr. 5 Wilk Along 6 Miss Introvivida.

Lemur to re-emphasize the

point by winning the principal race at Goodwood this afternoon. His task is anything but easy with 9st 11b to carry in what is always a fiercely competitive handicap, but Hobbs knows precisely what is required, having won it in 1974

with Take A Reef. There is in fact a link between the two. Take A Reef won the Magnet Cup at York en route to Goodwood whereas Gay Lemur was beaten half a length by Bedtime in the same big York handicap.

Perhaps, even more poignant. is the fact that the weights for today's race were published before Gay Lemur ran so well at York. With the benefit of fares. Guy Harwood and Gre- at Yarmouth where Dynamic ances behind Stanerra at San-Hobbs needed to believe that hindsight the handicapper ville Starkey should still sample

That could mean the difference between defeat and victory, especially as it is difficult to split Airfield and Rangefinder on their running at York in May, and the way that they have been assessed now,

Yesterday's racing Page 19

With successive victories at Brighton and Windsor to his name Millfontaine could turn out to be the main stumbling block this afternoon as far as

Gay Lemur is concerned. No matter how Millfontaine would have set him an even the sweet taste of success.

be meeting others today on 4lb Stakes. This is the race that first bred colt by Lyphard, out of a better terms than he will in the favourable light last year. closely related to the dam of Following a highly promising debut at Sandown where he was

beaten only about a length by three more experienced rivals headed by Rule of the Sea. Carocrest is no expected to account for the Shirley Heights colt Crampon, who finished fourth behind Rousillon, who is Dance, a stable campanion of Carocrest at Pulborough.

The Selsey Maiden Stakes, another race for two-year-olds, can go to Dynamic Leader, even though he let his camp down with an uncharacteristic bump in his only race so far. That was Leader started at 9-4 on and finished only fourth.

Draw: No advantage.

(17 runners)

Newmarket

6.15 BRECON STAKES (2-Y-O maidens: £3,405: 7f)

Tote: Double 7.10, 8.10. Treble 6.45, 7.40, 8.35.

RESEL RING 8 HIRS 9-0
RAFT G HARWOOD 9-0
ROLL IN THE HAY G WYADO 9-0
SECURITY CLEARANCE H CACE 9-0
SHEER REGISTS P Cole 8-0
STARWIND J WINTER 9-0

rity Clearance, 5-2 Beldale Leer, 7-2 Seano, 6 Part. 10 Roll 4 others.

6.45 SIDE HILL HANDICAP (3-Y-O selling: £1,207:

0000 BALIX Pat Mitchell 9-7 E Guest 5
0001 ROSE GLOW J PIESGRING 9-5 (4 ext) ... G Brown 7
0000 THAT'S INCREDIBLE P Mitchell 9-1 ... P Bradwell 5
0-002 NEEMIGHT MOUSE P Cole 9-1 ... W Carson
0-300 AVENTA LADY R Streether 9-1 ... P Colvens
0003 ANNIVERSARY TOKEN R Hothesbead 9-1 ... S Perics
0000 DATATEXT (8) M Usher 8-10 ... S Cauthen
0000 JAIN P Busier 8-7

.10 LAVENHAM HANDICAP (£4,207: 6f) (11)

2007 DOC MARTIEN (D) A Hide 5-9-10 E H 6-002 GAVO (9) P Kelleruny 4-8-2 E H 22110 MANIBISTAR (B) (D) M Javres 3-9-1 E Rayres 2-113 ALL IS FORGIVEN (B) (CD) D Thom 3-9-0 (1000 MASTER CAWSTON (D) G Wragg 4-8-13

JERRY CAN Thomson Jone KESSELRING 8 Hills 9-0

both Glint of Gold and Diamond Shoah deserves another chance. If he wins I expect Dynamic Leader to be the second of two winners for Henry Cecil and Lester Piggott who look poised to win the Alycidon Stakes with Sabre

Recent events have cast a shodow of doubt over the current crop of three-year-olds. In the circumstances Sabre Dance may well be up to beating the likes of Seymour Hicks and Society Boy. Following highly promising performdown and Royal Ascot Sabre Dance duly landed the odds laid

71) (15)

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ship and care as Sabre Dance will be fancied for the Ralph Hubbard Memorial Nursery following good runs at Newbury and Windsor but I prefe Countess Concorde, esecially now that she will be running over live furlongs after seem ingly failing to stay the sixth and final furlong of the St Catherine's Stakes at Newbury a fortnight ago.

Reflection, who finished third that day, has a healthy pull 9lb in the weights this afternoon for three lengths but I still prefer Contess Concorde

Finally, after riding at Good-wood, Pat Eddery will fly to Newmarket for the evening meeting there. His hectic dash be rewarded with a first and last Now I am looking to Hay harder task as the study of more thanks to Carocrest, my selection of Newmarket Correspontion on him in the Land of Burns race double on Beldale Lear emur to re-emphasize the recent races shows that the will tion for the Foxhall Maiden dent says that this beautifully Stakes at Ayr earlier this month. (6.15) and Sweet Slew (8.35).

11-4 Gampiers Draws, 7-2 All is Forgiven, 9-2 Gavo, 6 Lord Wingy, lenenster, Alexier Caveston, 12 Groszewski, 16 others.

7.40 BEDFORD LODGE HOTEL HANDICAP (£2,021)

MOLON LANE C Brison 69-0 STERN (D) 1 Water 7-8-13 CROWN COUNSEL P Feldon 4-8-12 BALLNACARN (D) J Toller 4-8-11

TOTAL SALEMACANN (D) J (1084 14-31)
1-310 OPEN THE BOX (B) (D) G Baiding 4-5-13
1-310 OPEN THE BOX (B) (D) G Baiding 4-5-18
1-310 OPEN THE BOX (B) (D) G Baiding 4-5-18
1-300 KYROOTA M Tomplates 5-5-9
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100-0 (EZ SHANZADA P Haskers 3-5-2
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7-2 Balinecsm, 4 Crown Counsel, 9-2 Lidie Mercy, 5 Open The Box enorsis, 8 Molon Line, 12 Stem, 16 others.

8 10 RUNNING GAP STAKES (3-Y-O: £3.563: 1m 4ft

9-4 Prince Of Peace, 5-2 His Honour, 100-30 Chic Boulique, 6 Sect 8.35 BUNBURY STAKES G-Y-O Fiffes: \$2.964; 1m)

5-2 Sweet Siew, 11-4 Remembering, 7-2 Almony, 6 Dinner Tosst, 8 nakova, 12 Artiss's Daughter, 16 others.

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0000 ALFRED DOUGLAS M McCor 8-00 MS HONOUR W Horn 8-5 3-000 JACKDAW R Hollinsheed 8-5 0- USCPARDO R J WHERTH 8-5 9000 TOUGH COMMANDER R Arm

Draw advantage: high numbers best Tota: Double 3.5, 4.10, Treble 2.30, 3.40, 4.40 2.0 POXHALL STAKES (2-y-t: mailtane: E5,727; 71) (13 runners)

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CHASIFOR (Lord Embyl W Herm 9-S.

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YOUNG THINK (Br. M. Schole) B Bedding 5-O.

SEE DASHING LIGHT (B Strong) G Levels 9-11

GURLING THINK (Br. M. Schole) B Bedding 5-O.

SEE DASHING LIGHT (B Strong) S Levels 9-11

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2.30 ALYCIDON STAKES (E9.427: 1m 47) (7) 15-8 Sabre Dance, 11-4 Seymour Micks, 7-2 Society Boy, & Amyredae, 12 Notice Cet, 20

Critimon, 33 Sarzays.

**Porties: Assystan (3-5) eth betten it is Diemond Shoel (level) 4 van, Milen im 41 eths good in firm Juns 12. Sabre Dence (3-0) won 1½ from Commissions Blake (gene (80) 5 ran. Ayr 1m 27 aths good July 9, Mobile Bitt (3-7) 3rd beatish it is Adonlish free Filish 7 mm. Newbory im 27 aths good July 9, Mobile Bitt (3-7) won 1½ from Hobb Tight (level) 14 ran. Hamston im 41 annet aths good July 9, Semally (12-7) won 1½ from Hobb Tight (level) 14 ran. Hamston im 41 annet aths good July 16. Secrety Bey (8-8) won 1½ from Neonon (level) 6 ran. Ascor im 45 aths firm June 19. Secrety Bey (8-8) won 1½ from Neonon (level) 6 ran. Ascor im 45 aths firm June 19. SELECTION: Secrety Bey

3.5 EXTEL HANDICAP (3-y-o: £18,440: 1m 21) (12)

314-240 ONSLOW (G Visiter) J Duniop 9-7
38-1122 ARPFELD (Beckhampton Lidd J Time 9-5
2-40112 GAY LUMRIR (SN Ludy Roseberry) 9-Nobbs 9-7
82-111 BELLFONTAINS (S Newton) G Harvacod 9-15
80-0230 SOLBER ANT (A Richards) G Harvacod 9-15
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80-0401 ZABEEL (Snelth Mohamman) R Houghton 7-9
80-0402 ZABEEL (Snelth Mohamman) R Houghton 7-9
811-614 ROMAN BEACH (C) (R Canhard W Muston 7-9
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7-2 Milliontaine, 9-2 Gay Letner, 5 Northern Trial, 15-2 Por 10 Onslow, 14 Zabeel, 18 Tropical Mist, 20 others. TO CHARGE, 14 ZODER, 16 Implications, 20 Charas.

PORTISE Comberry (3-2) 10th bester over 18 to Ganger Shink Sevel) 10 ren. Charastly 1m 17 68s good.

June 5, Airfield (8-11) 2nd bester 28 to Seymour Hicks (prev 38+8 ren. York 1m 27 110yd in cap

tirm June 37. Trepicati Meli (8-3) yord of from Fout (prev 38+1 3 ren. Windoor 17 or 27 24-88s good in

from June 27. Trepicati Meli (8-3) 2nd bester 19, 10 Clarrathy (not 10th) 18 ren. Carrate 1m 11 60yd

sits from June 30. Helmhary (9-0) yorn 1,1 from Jet Stoux (not 38) 13 ran. Folksetone 1m 41 noin

sits from July 19. Zubest (9-0) 3nd bester 19 in high to Ayderskeld (seve) 15 ren. Newbury 1m 31 md

sits from July 18. Both Ends Stotning (7-0) 4th bester 31 to Moores Melai (gave 4k 10) 14 ran.

Newtworkst (se b cap good July 7. Bester Sesue) 4th bester 51 to Worlington (sec 186) 7

ran. Yarmouth 1m b cap good to firm July 21.

3.40 RALPH HUBBARD HANDICAP (2-y-o Fillies: £4,698: 5f) (10) PRAIL PT FOURISHMENT PRANDICAN* (2-y-0 release 1-y-0-0-3)

2102 COUNTESS COMCORDE (Mrs R Popers) B Henbury 9-7

2102 GENTLE GYPSY (D) LI Prenty I Winter 9-5

31020 ASTRAL DANCER (D) (A Davies) C Winters 9-1

31020 MY LOURE (D) (T Mile) A Ingram 8-12

2013 REPLECTION (D) (The Cusen) B Bailding 8-12

2114 REPLECTION (D) (The Cusen) B Bailding 8-12

2124 REPLECTION (D) (The Cusen) B Bailding 8-12

2125 REPLECTION (D) (The Cusen) FOUR 8-12

226194 CLASSICAL VINTAGE (D) (Aujor T Jackson) R Hannon 8-12

23012 BRAVE ADVANCE (D) (O Harris) G Hunter 9-11

20020 JAMEENA (R Shirty) R Simpson 7-7

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FORM: Counters Concerds (5-5) 2nd basten. 11/3 to Rocket Alert (evel) with Reflection (evel 3nd basten 4/3 10 ran. Newbury 65 sits from July 15. Gentle Gypsy (9-2) 2nd basten 4/3 to Time Michine (rec Sb) 10 ran. Knigheld 51 sits good Aure 24. Vallante (9-0) 3nd basten 1/3 to Time Michine (gave 3to) 5 ran. Withton 51 sits from Ady 4. Aspel Denoir (8-7) 3nd basten 1/3 to Time Michine (gave 3to) 5 ran. Withton 51 sits from Ady 4. Aspel Denoir (8-7) 3nd basten 1/3 to Time Michine (10-1) sin. Chessian 55 sits soft May 30. Classifical Vintage (8-11) 4th beatens 4/3 to Nee Empress (gave 4tb) 5 ran. York 61 sits Start July 9.

SELECTION: Vallante

4.10 SELSEY STAKES (2-y-o: £4,513: 67) (11) ADIYAMAMN (H H Age Khen) R Houghton 9-0

BONFIEL (B) (F Sasse) D Sasse 9-0

BONFIEL (B) (F Sasse) D Sasse 9-0

CUITING WIND (Mrs. P Mayring) B Heatony 9-0

DON MARTINO (Laby Brigic Heas) G Battery 9-0

ITHAMIC LEAUER (B Finestony) H Cool 9-0

FARIO (Jana Stati Lin) J Durino 9-0

KEDY YAPPING (A Shead) B Hills 9-0

OUT TO PLAY (P JANATY A PRE 9-0

SPARIOLER SPIRIT (Sparious Fitura) A PRI 9-0

STAR BERAGER (Newgare Log) P Cole 9-0

SUCCESSIVE, WINDER (East Commodition) P High

Leader, 7-2 Fahol, 5 Knep Tapping, 13-2 Adiyamata

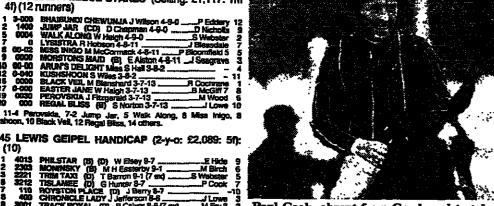
4.40 CHICHESTER CITY HANDICAP (24,155: 60)(17)

TENNIS

Lloyd back to losing

South Orange, New Jersey (Reuter) - John Lloyd, of Britain, who had caused a surprise in the first round of the Open championships here by defeating the No 6 seed, Fritz Buehning, of the United States, was beaten in the second round yesterday by Eric Korita, a US junior Davis Cup player, 6-4,

Korita, a semi-finalist in the Washington grand prix tournament on Sunday, has a first service which



Paul Cook, absent from Goodwood to take some choice mounts at Thirsk 4.15 THOMAS LORD HANDICAP (3-y-o: £2,763: 71)

BLACK GLAZEPTA A Jants 9-7

ONAIZAH Thomson Jones 9-2

P Cook
HOT POTATO C Book 7-13

G Gldroyd
ROBARTIC INNGHT M H Easterby 7-9

L Charnock
HERRY GEARY STEELS Denys Smith 7-7

M CHEARY GLAD K Stone 7-7

J Lones 15-8 Romantic Knight, 3 Onstratt, 9-2 Henry Geory Steets, assento Lad, 8 Hot Potato, 10 Black Glazepte. 4.45 COWESBY HANDICAP (apprentices: 21,289;

2m) (7)

SABATASH F Durr 3-8-12 (8 ex)

AMBER VALE (D) D Chapman 6-9-12 (8 ex)

TRACK SHARP Mrs M Nesbit 4-9.7 S Griffisha
MILLE GREY T Barron 3-9.7 S Keightley
BURGLARS WALK R Shibbs 3-9.5 J C Polliv
SURRIARS PATH M Campach 6-8-0 A Magk 7

TWIDALE Capt J Wilson 10-8-3 Mark Wood 7 11-10 Sabetash, 4 Amber Vale, 5 Track Sharp, 8 Mille Gray, 10 premer Path, 12 Burglars Walk, 20 Teldala.

9002 GAMPLE OF J BECOM 5-8-5 WC COMM COVER THE RANGOW (C) J Winter 6-7-19 P Hs **RUGBY UNION**

Welcome visitors

By David Hands, Rugby Correspondent As if to confirm Rugby's touring side will undoubtedly receive

from three continents will descend upon England and Wales in the first two months of the new season. Canada and Japan arrive in Canada and Japan arrive as October, but the way is cleared for them by Zimbalwe, who played six games in England in 1980, and who now have five games arranged, beginning with Bristol, the Joha Player cun holders, on Sentember 7 beginning with Bristol, the John Player cup holders, on September 7 and concluding against Surrey on

and concluding against Surrey of this season. The decision was to drop its sponsorship of the world-wide Grand Prix when its present contract expires after the 1984 season. The decision was made after the Men's International Professional Tennis Council rejected Volvo's \$25m offer of sponsorship for a further five years. Volvo now plant to sponsor other events.

me as warm from nearby

The game with Surrey, who opened the 1980 tour with a 25-23 win at I wickenham, will be played at Rossiyn Park in the even Leicester. one of the senior Midlands clubs who expressed opposition to the new format of the county championship last season, are to allow championship matches

HOCKEY

open door

On Monday England and Wales off to Jamaica, Joyce Whitehead rites. The under-21 touring teams on both countries will take part in the Caribbean tournament (also involving Jamaica, Barbados, Trinidad and one other country, possibly Bermuda) in Kingston.

The Caribbean tournament is as annual event staged by each island in turn. This year the Jamaicans, as the organisers, decided to enlarge it; thus England and Wales were invited and were only too pleased to accept. They will stay in the university and as they are touring teams (paying for themselves) will

practice weekend at the end of June. They beat Chelsea College and Slough Ladies Hockey Club. Wales. however, were given stiffer oppo-

England did well in their one

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The women's AAA champion ships, sponsored by TSB at Crystal palace today and tomorrow will do well to reflect even a glimmer of the star turns given by women last week. Another men's meeting at Gate-shead on Sunday could diminish running the 800 metres this weekend and it will be a further indictment of that glimmer even more.

running was put not so much in perspective as totally in the shade by Jarmila Dratochvilov, of Czechoslo-vakia, the outstanding favourite for the world championships 400 metres now that Marita Koch is not contesting that event, ran I min 53,28 sec in Manich three nights

athletics is that this record was once held by a Briton, when Ann Packer AAA took this to mean that the non the Olympic gold medal in Tokyo in 1954 wigh 2 min 1.1 sec. Miss Packer's time still ranks seventh on the British bests list, and the current national record, held by Christina Boxer is barely two seconds faster at 1:59.05. But most embarrassing is this year's British best time by Shireen Bailey, which is exactly the same as Packer's 19

The one glimmer of hope in British women's middle distance is Wendy Sty, the only person selected to double up in Helsinki, at 1500 metres and 3000 metres. She is

The stagnation in standards, apart from the glowing examples of Tessa Sanderson and Fatima Whitbread in the javelin, and Kathy Cook, Beverly Kinch and one or two others, notably in the sprints, is a reflection of the administratore lack of internal

A recent vote on annales The significance of Miss Kratochvilova's time to British women's
favour. But many clubs did not vote silent majority are satisfied with the

> For all their fine performence last week, there were still some tedions gaps in the men's programme that could best have been filled by the women's events that are not going to draw more than husbands, boyf-riends, mums and dads to Crystal

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.00); Food and Cookery (8.30on Sax: Comedy about two crime-busters, one Swedish, the other a men from the Yard (r); 9.25 Jacksnory: Rosalind Ayres reads from The Secret Garden (r): 9.40 The Amezing Adventures of Morpiz with Tony Hart (r): 10.45 Why Don't You . . ? Leisure time suggestions for

10.55 Cricket: The Second Test. The second day of the England v New Zealand match at Deedingley. Further Ive coverage at 1.40 and, on BBC 2, at 1.45, with highlights on BBC 2 tonight at 10.15. News; 1.22 Financial Report.

And sub-titled news; 1.25

Fingerbobs: for the toddlers. Cricket: The Second Test. Back to Headingley for more Overs. Play School: see BBC 2 entry for 10.30 am; 4.45 Jigsaw: lively entertainment for youngsters (r); 5.10 Hunter's Gold: Episode 11 of the drama serial set in the New Zealand

ds a century and more 190 (r); 5.35 The Perishers: ith Leonard Rossiter (r). News; 6.00 South East at Sh; 5 Nationwide; 6.55 Bugs nny: cartoon, Lighter than

Film: The Spy with My Face (1964). The thriller that launched The Men from U.N.C.L.E. series in the cinema. Special agents Robert Vaughn and David McCaltum fly to Switzerland to guard the combination to a vault containing the most dangerous nuclear weapon in

he world. With Senta Berger. 8.30 Summer Harty: In Stratfordon-Avon, Russell Harty goes punting on the Avon, rides a penny-farthing, and strikes up an acquaintance with a taddy

9.00 News: with Michael Buerk. And weather prospects. Shannon: Police drama series. When one of Shannon's fellow officers suspected of being involved in corruption is found friends to try to find out more. Starring Kevin Dobson.

10.15 Seconds Out: Cornedy series starring Robert Lindsay as the boxer Pete Dodds who is on his way to becoming the leading contender for the British middleweight however problems with his trainer (Ken Jones). Lee Montegue, his manager, has an unusual solution (r). 10.45 News headlines.

10.50 Film: The Last Train (1973). Thriller, set in France during the Second World War, Jean Louis Trintignant plays the Germans, boards a train for the coast, and meets up with a beautiful German Jewess (Romy Schneider) who, like him, is on the run from the Nazis. Also starring Nike Arnghi, Regine, Franco ro and Maurice Biraud Based on a Georges Sin novel, with dubbed English dialogue. Directed by Plerre -Deferre, Ends at 12.35 TV-am

6.25 Good Morning Britain: presented by Anne Diamond and Nick Owen, Includes news at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 and 9.00; Sport at 6.45 and 7.45; Chris Tarrant in Blackpool at 6.50, 7.15, 7.35, 8.05; Competition at 7.25 and 8.25; Morning papers at 7.05; Weekend Television, with Jimmy Greaves, at 8.35, Diet with Diana Dors at 8.45; Mad Lizzie at 8.55; Rat on the Road (in Cardiff) at 9.00; Closedown at 9.25.

ITV/LONDON

9.25 Thames news headines. Followed by: Se easy learning, with The Muppets; 10.25 Science International: a film about scientific research; 10.35 Rocket Robin Hood: cartoon; 10.55 What is Rhythm? A film to set your feet tapping; 11.05 A Big Country: A film about a great Tasmanian explorer. Olegas Truchanas, who was Olegas Truchenas, who was drowned in 1971; 11.35 Once Upon a Time . . . Man: a film ebout Neenderthal Man. 12.00 The Woofits: the story-teller is

Michael Perkinson; 12.10
Reinbow; 12.30 By the Way:
Philip Madoc (Licyd George in
the BBC TV series) tells the
story of Dylan Thomas. 1.00 News: 1.20 Thames area news; 1.30 About Brit

Avon Voyage. Norman Bowler travels from Avonmouth to Bristol Docks, 2.00 Wild Times: Part two of a sharpshooter (played by Sam Ellioti). He is now acquiring fame through the dime novels that tell of his adventures. With Ben Johnson; 3.50 Certoons.

4.00 Children's ITV. Followed by Rainbow (r); 4.30 Victor and Maria: the story of a missing book; 4.25 Animal Express: Alison Holloway at Sag Diego Zoo; California; 4.50 Freetime Looking after horses. 5.15 The Young Doctors.

5.45 News; 8.00 Thames Weekend News; 8.15 Police 5: 6.30 Make Me Laugh: Cornedy game show, with Paul Henry as the star guest. 7.00 Winner Takes All: General knowledge gambling game.

7.30 Hawaii Five-O: The findings of the remains of a boy, mis for seven years, threatens the reputation of Five-O. 8.30 The Cabbage Patch: The start of a new comedy series in which family life is viewed from the perspective of a mother

(Julia Foster), with two daughters and a hard-working husband (Emlyn Price) 9.00 The A-Team: Drama series about a group of soldiers of fortune. Tonight, they stage a dangerous rescue from a prison where the inmates are forced to fight to the death.

Starring George Peppard and Dwight Schultz. 10.00 News from ITN. 10.30 Angeli Town: A disturbing film about a housing estate in Brixton, south London, which has the reputation of being a muggers' paradise. A young African lawyer was brutally murdered there. Elderly locks on their doors: Many of the Angell Town problem have been put down to the

eaders. (1.30 South of Watford: The boom in home computors. Why people buy them. And what mpact are they having on our society? Presented by cartoonist Tim Hunkin. 12.00 Close Barbara Leigh-Hunt reads a poem by Samuel

Coleridge Taylor.

In this programme, residents

are interviewed as well as civic

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Sheila Hancock: Mothers by Daughters (Channel 4) 10.30pm

BBC 2

6.30 Carbonyl chemistry: 6.55

tomic Clock; 7.45 Computing

Injection moulding; 7.20 The

story Josh, Jolly and the Flat (also on BBC1, at 4.20pm);

Cricket. The live coverage of

Glorious Goodwood consists

of the 2.00 Foxall Maiden

Stakes: the 2.30 Alycidon

Stakes; the 3.05 Extel Stake and the 3.40 Ralph Hubbard

Memorial Nursery Stakes. Commentary by Peter

O'sulevan, Jimmy Lindley and John Hanmer. The show jumping is the European Championships, from Hickstead. Part 2 of The Silk Cut Prize. The cricket is the

6.15 Cartoon: Balablok. Made in

6.25 Museum of the Year: A visit to

Buckler's Hard Village and

Maritime Museum at Beaulie

Hampshire. Then -- the presentation of the award to

the winning museum. From Vintners' hall in London.

cancer, talks to John Hurt who portrays him in a new film. And

Bob Langley goes walking in Lakeland with Jack Charlton;

Physics at Caltech, California,

explains why apparently wonderful things happen in the

Renaissance and the emergence of the individual as

Presented by Keneth Clark (r).

Barnsdale. The theme tonight

is propagation. How to take

half-ripe cuttings and how to produce hybrid pelargoniums

Urbino and Mantia, and the

paintings of Van Eyck.

8.35 Gardeners' World: From

9.00 My Music: Steve Race puts musical questions to Frank

Muir, John Amis, Denis. Norden and lan Wallace.

9.25 Maybury: Love's Labour. Part

one of a two-part drama in which Dr Eddie Roebuck

(Patrick Stewart) faces the problem of two psychiatric patients, both of whom are experiencing difficulties at

Eshley), a middle-aged statistician, has recently begun to make serious mistakes. The

other (Ray Smith) can only define his state as "not feeling

real any more,"

10.45 Newsmight.:

10.15 Cricket: The Second Test.

11.35 European Show Jumping Championship: The Silk Cut Prize, part 2, at Hickstead.

Civilisation: Man - the Measure of All Things. The

series is about the early

6.55 Six Fifty-five: Jockey Bob

7.25 News summary.

7.30 Fun to Imagine: Richard Feynman, Nobel Laureate and

Profesor of Theoretical

Champion, who defeated

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6.05 Open University (until 8.10) Maths; vibration absorbers;

10.30 Play School: Joyce Tomsett's

Closedown at 10.55.

1.45 Recing/Show Jumping/and

 MOTHERS BY DAUGHTERS
(Channel 4, 19.30pm) is generating a high level of regretfulness: the celebrities wishing they had done this or that for their departed parent, or said this or that. The catalogue of lest hereaftering. talogue of lost apportunities which Barbara Windsor and Bernadette Devin McAliskey started to compile during the first two films, is added to tonight by the tress Shella Hancock. The inevitable conclusion we come to is must also be fulfilling a valuable function as family therapy: i.e. let us learn from the mistakes of others while there is still time. There is an additional bonus in tonight's interview. Shella Hancock is not only a daughter but also the mother of what sounds like a "liberated" daughter. Thus, the

CHANNEL 4

man's attempts, through

landscaping and gardening, to dominate or harmonize with

his surroundings. Tonight: the gardens of the Renaissance, including those in Italy. We

visit the "scientific garden" at

Padua, the gardena of the Villa Medici, the Villa d'Este, the

VIDE Farness and the Ville

will include the sinking of the

6.00 Switch: Pop music show,

7.30 The Best of the Friday

5.30 in Search of Paradise. Another in this series about

CHOICE relationships between three very different generations can be viewed from a commanding vantage point, that of the highly articulate Miss Hancock. "How," wrote Beethoven, in one of his rare moments of lactic introspection "will they take to my music on Verus?" The underlying assumption in MUSIC FROM A SMALL PLANET (Radio 4, 11.00em) is that it is not just the Venusians who will have a chance to make their minds up but any other extraterrestrial who may intercept the spacecrafts Voyagers 1 and 2, currently Uranus bound. Boited on to their sides are golden discs of Earth music (plus cartridge and stylus, but the ETs will have to make their own amplification

arrangements) that will give our space neighbours some idea as to what stage, musically at any rate, home sapiens has reached in his development. Venusians et al 479 invited, among other things, to open their hearts to a Beethoven cavatina (the String Quartet No 13 in B flat), tap their feet to a Senegalese percussion piece, thrift to Stravinsky's fifte of Spring, sight to traditional American blues and respond mathematically to the preponderance of Bach on the records. The Soviet authorities dragged their fest over a selection of ethnic music to put on the discs, so the decision was taken out of . their hands and a Georgian song, blasted into space. Only afterwards was it learnt that the song was an exhortation to Russians to rise up

6.30 Going Places. The world of travel and transport. 7.00 News; The Archers.
7.20 Pick of the week, Programme highlights, selected by Margaret Howard!

18.36 Morning Story. "Father's New Hobby" by Hill Stavid. Read by Cyrll Steps.

18.45 Daily Service †
11.59 News and Travet; Music from a Singal Planet. Themset that went abroad the Voyager spacecraft. With Carl Segan (f): 11.48 Netural Selection. Joe Henston on the development of the cow.

12.60 News; You and Yours.

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gardens etc.
12.27 My Music Quiz. The quizmaster is Stave Rece. 12.57 Weether.
1.00 The World at One: News.
1.40 The Archers. 1.55 Shipping

battleship Belgrano, the hanging debate, and sanitary protection for women. 8.00 Unforcettable: Hits from the 1950s and 1960s, are Introduced by Alan Freeman The special guests are Helen Shapiro and Georgie Fame who join the regulars, Lipstick and the Morton Music

8.30 WKRP is Cincinatile Cornety series about a radio station. The disc jockey (Howard Hesseman) receives a telephone call from his former wife which leads him to believe that, freed from making any BBC 1 B8C Whitet: 1.22-1.25pm News, 4.18-4.30 News, 6.05-6.25 Wates Today, 10.15-10.45 Internativated Sheepdog Trials, 10.45-10.50 News, 8cotiand: 1.25-1.35pm News, 6.05-6.25 Reporting Scotland, 10.15-10.45 Beachgrove Garden, 10.45-10.50 News, Northern Instant, 1.22-1.25pm News, 8.00-6.25 Scotte Arone Str. 18-15-18-46 Cook with Clars, 10.45-10.50 News, 12.35km News, England: 6.00-6.25pm Regional news magazine, 10.15-18-46 East – Lit Justice Be Done, Midlands – What a Picturel North –

more alimony payments, he can now take Balley (Jan Smithers) on holiday with him.

9.00 Film: True Confession (1937) Fast-moving farce - one of the most successful of the socalled screwbell comedies that came out of Hollywood in the thirties - starring Carole Lombard as the compulsive Sar who confesses to a marde she did not commit. She is subsequently defended by he attorney husband (Fred MacMurray). John Barrymore plays a blackmailing criminologist, and the supporting cast also includes Una Merkel, Edgar Kennedy, Porter Hail, Hattle McDaniel

and Lynne Overman, Directed by Wesley Ruggles. 10.30 Mothers by Daughters: The actress Shella Hancock talks to Bel Mooney about her

11.15 Boris Karloff Presents: The Hungry Glass. The macabre (William Shatner and Joanne Hayes) who move into an old house where frightening things occur, including the appearance of a gr woman in a mirror. rance of a grote

12.15 Jazz on Four: with the guiteria Pat Metheny and his group (Lyle Mays, keyboard; Nana Vasconcelos, percussion; Steve Rodby, bass; Dan Gottlieb, drums). Filmed in Montreal. Ends at 1.00. FREQUENCIES: Radio 1: 1053kHz/285m; 1089kHz/275m; Radio 2: 693kHz/433m; 909kHz/330m; Radio 3: 1215kHz/247m: VHF -90-92.5; Radio 4: 200kHz 1500m: VHF -92-95; LBC 1152kHz/261m; VHF 97.3; Capital: 1548kHz/194m: VHF 95.8; BBC Radio London 1458kHz/206m: VHF 94.9; World Radio 4

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the Day 8.55, 7.55 Weather 7.00,
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8.57 Weather.
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10.00 News; International Assignment.

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1.40 The Archers. 1.55 Shipping
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9.00 News; Women's Hour from
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World. 10.59 Dick Tracy. 11.00 Flying
Kiwi. 11.20 Soccer Stells. 11.45-12.00
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8.30 Year of The Owl narrated by Andrew Sachs. Written by Paul Thomas ? Letter from America.

9.15 Letter from America.
9.30 Kaleidoscope, Arts magazine,
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Robides reviews of 2 new
Barbicen productions, Cyrano
de Bergerae and Tartuffe. Plus
the David Cox exhibition in
Birmingham, 9.59 Weather.
10.00 The World Tonight. News.
10.35 Whizzalongswavelength with the
National Revue Company, New
comedy show presented by
graduates from the University of
East Angle.
11.00 Book at Bedtime: Tim the King
of the Cabile' by Susan Hij (last
of 10 parts). Reed by Lynn
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11.15 The Financial World Tonight.

11.30 Today in Parliament.

11.45 Glyn Worsnip in the BBC Sound Archives. 12.00 News; Weather. 12.15 Shipping Forecast.

Radio 3 6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Morning C weather.
News.
Morning Concert: Vitali, Michael
Haydyn (Horn Concerto in D),
Handel (Recitative and Aria: Che
piu si tarda); Joseph Haydn
(plano concerto in D H Xviii, 11).

8.00 News.
8.95 Morning Concert (continued).
Arnold (Tam O'Shanter overture), Martinu (Plano Concerto No S), Rectaminov (Caprice bohemien, Op 12). News. 9.00 News. 9.05 This Week's Composer: William Byrd. Records. Three-part Mass

TONIGHT'S PROM 7.30 Tchalkovsky:PlanoConcert No 1 in B tlat minor (solois Eisabeth Leonataja).
Shostakovich: Symphony No
7 (Leningrad). BBC Philhar-monic, conducted by Edward
Downes. Radio 3.

and Mass Proper settings for Corpus Crief from Graduella, 1605 f. 10.00 Music for Cello and Planot Francoeur, Schumann, Dohanyl. Played by Maria Kiegel and Ludger Maxseln. 1. Ludger Maxaein. 1. 10.55 Three Duet Concertos: Franz

10.55 Three Duet Concertos: Franz Anton Rossier, Strauss, Frank Martin. Played by Northern Sinfonia of England 1.

11.55 Roger Songs. Five new children's songs. Op 142. Sung by Yvonne Kenny (soptano) with Roger Vignoles at the plano 1.

12.10 Midday Concert. BBC Concert Orchestrs. Part 1; Biss (excerpts from the ballet music for Checkpoint) and Benjamin Britten (Matiness musicales) 1.

1.00 News.

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1.05 Six Continents.
1.20 Midday Concert, Part two.
Goldmark (his Symphony in E.
Op 26 (Rustic Wedding) 1.
2.00 String Quartets by Schumann
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Opp 41, No 3; and the No 1.
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4.55 News.
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5.00 Music for Guiter: Scarletti, Bach, Villa-Lobos. Played by Julian Byzentine, includes Villa-Lobo's preludes No 4 and 2 f.
7.00 The Marvelous Girl. Short story by V. S. Pritchett. Read by Nigel Anthony.
7.30 Proms 83 from the Royal Albert Hall. Part 1: Tchaikovsky (see panal, above).
8.05 in At The Start. Beginning a repeat of Leonard Miell's personal history of the BBC. In the European Service.
8.25 Proms 83, Part 2: Shostokovich.
8.50 America: The Perplexities Of Leonard Miell's Part 1.

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8.25 Proms 83. Part 2: Shostokovich.

9.50 America: The Perpisodies Of Power. The Cyril Foster Lecturer at Oxford University delivered by Professor Arthur Schlesinger of the City University, New York.

10.35 Swedish Rako Choir Ars Ediund, Heirz Werner Zimmermann, Sven-David Sandstoem, Strauss (Der Absnot) †.

1.15 News.

MEDRUM FREQUENCY/MEDIUM WAVE as viti above except.

10.55am – 6.30 Cricket: Second Test. England v New Zeatand on the second day at Headingley, including 1.05 News 1.10 stx Continents 1.30 Lunchtime Scoreboard. VHF ONE.Y – OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.15am Musical Drams 6.35-6.55 11.20-11.40pm.

News on the hout every hour (except a.00pm and 8.00). Major Bulletins: 7.00mm, 8.00, 1.00pm, 8.00 and 12.00 midnight (NF/MW).5.00 Colin Beny: 7.30 Ray Moore; 10.00 Jammy Young: 12.00pm Music While You Work: 12.20 Gioris Handiday Instanting a colombia Pask. York: 12.30 Gloria
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Desk. 4.00 David Hamilton's including
4.02, 5.30 Sports Desk. 5.00 John
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Classified Results 7.22 Cricket Desk.
7.30 Jim Mackeod and his Band. 1 8.15
Friday Night is Music Night from the
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McTell and Friendst 9.57 Sports Desk.
10.00 Listen to Les. 10.30 Srian
Matthew remeates Round Middight Matthew presents Round Michil (stereo from midnight), 1.00 NightOwis.† 2.00-5.00 Liz Allen

News on the half hour from 6.30am until 8.30am and then at 10.00 and 12.00 midnight, (NF/MW), 6.00 Adrian John, 7.00 Miles Read, 9.80 Simon

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HTV WALES As HTV West except 6.00pm-7.00 Wales at Six. 10.30-11.00 A Question of Stars.

ULSTER As London except:
9.25em-9.30 Day Ahead,
10.30 Larry the Lemb. 10.40 Brasis in
Concert, 11.20 Selly and Jaice. 11.3512.00 Crazy World of Sport, 1.20-1.30
Lunchtime. 2.00-4.00 Film: Magic Bow
(Stewart Granger), 5.15-5.45 Survival.
1.00 Good Evening, Ulster. 6.30-7.00
Boat Show. 7.30-8.30 The A-Team.
5.00-10.00 Minder. 10.30 Wirness. 10.3
Star Parade. 11.30 Levicas Man.
12.25em News Closedown.

SCOTTISH As London except: 10.25am Zoom The Dolphin 10.30 History Makers 11.15 Film Fun 11.40-12.00 Groovie Ghousles 1.20pm-1.30 News 2.00 it's a Vet's Life 2.30 Trapper John 3.30-4.00 Make Me Laugh 5.15-5.45 PS it's Paul Squire 6.30-7.00 Carry on Laughing 7.30-8.30 The A-Team 9.00-10.00 Minder 19.30 Ways and Means 11.00 9 to 5.11.20 Late Call 11.35 Streets of San Francisco 12.30em Closedown. 12.30em Closedown.

CHANNEL, As London except: Starts, 12.00-12.10 Woofits. 1.29-1.30 News. 2.90-4.00 Film: When the Legends Die. 5.15-5.45 Joanis-Loves Chachi, 8.00 Channel Report. 8.30 Flying Kiwi. 8.55-7.00 What's On Where, 7.30-8.30 The A Team. 19.35 Target Bowls. 11.00 Film: Only a Scream Away. 12.20am Closedown.

TVS As London except 8.25am-9.30
News. 10.25 Vicky the Viking.
10.45 Freetime. 11.10 Crazy World of
Sport. 11.35-12 Matt and Jenny.
1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.09-4.00 Film:
Harry Black and the Tiger (Stewart
Granger). 5.15-6.45 PS it's Paul Squire.
6.00 Coast to Coast 6.30-7.00 Boat
Show. 7.30-8.30 Bring 'em Back Alive.
10.30 Film: Walding Tail. 12.30am
Company, Closedown.

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YORKSHIRE As London except: 10.25em History of the Cer. 10.50 Animals set in many ways. 11.05 Welcome back Kotter. ways. 11.05 Welcome back Kotter. 11.30 Flying Kiwi. 11.55-12.00 Wonderful Stories of Professor Kilzel. 1.20pts-1.30 News, 2.00 Full Life. 2.30-A.00 Show/umping from the Hull Show. 5.16-6.45 PS It's Paut Squire. 8.00-7.08 Calendar and Sport. 7.30-6.30 The A-Team. 9.00-10.00 Minder. 18.30 Shelley. 11.00 Film: Murder is a One-Act-Pizy.

TSW As London except: 10.25em
Music of Man 11.20 Mountain
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Legands Die (Filchard Wicknerin) 5.156.45 Joanie Loves Check 6.00 Today
South West 6.30-7.00 What's Ahead
7.30-8.30 The A-Team 9.00-10.00 We'll
Meet Again 10.35 Target Bowls
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Away 12.20em Postscript 12.26
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Singray, 11,30-12,00 Sport Billy,
1,20pm-1,30 News, 2,00-4,00 Film: One That Got Away "Hardy Kruger), 5,15-5,45 One Of The Boys, 6,06-7,00 About Angla, 7,30-8,30 The A-Team, 9,00-10,00 Minder, 10,20 Shine On Harvey Moon, 11,00 Members Only, 11,30 Film: Top Secret (Six Cosby), 1,15cm Anthology, Closedown.

TYNE TEES As London except: 18.25em Our Incredible World. 10.50 Cartoon. 11.05 Flying Klwi. 11.30 Vicky the Viking. 1.20pm-1.30 News and Lookaround. 2.00 Firm: Horse's Mouth (Alec Gainness). 3.45 Cartoon. 5.15-5.45 Silver Spoons. 8.00 News. 6.02 Sporting Chance. 6.30-7.00 Northern Life. 7.30-8.30 The A-Tesm. 9.00-19.00 Streets of San Francisco. 10.32 Film: Aggression Lisean-Louis Trintignend. 12.20 Darkgroom. 12.35 Countryside Christian. 12.40 Closedoven.

CENTRAL As London except: 9.25em 3-2-1 Contact. 10.00 Morning Serial. 10.30 Megic of the Railways. 10.50-12.00 Film: Mulligan's Stew: Cornedy. 1.20pm News. 1.30 Definition. 2.00 Film: Rawhide (Tyrone Power), 3,30-4,08 Sons and Daughters. E.15-5,45 One of the Boys, 6,00-7,00 Central News Friday Show, 7.30-8.30 The A-Team. 9.00-10.00 Minder, 10.30 Hill Street Blues, 11.30 News, 11.35 Firm Doctors' Wives (Dyan Cannon). 1,40am Closedown.

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Thing, 10.25 Space 1999, 11.20 Crazy
World of Sport, 11.50-12.00 Cartoon.
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Handley), 5-15-5.45 Mysteries, Myths,
and Legends. 6.00 Summer at Stv. 6.307.00 Turra' Show. 7.00 Winner takes AR.
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Cabinet to order **British** missile

By Rodney Cowton Defence Correspondent

The Cabinet yesterday finally decided to back British technology with a £250m order for a new missile for the Royal Air

It did so after a bitter battle for the contract had been waged by an American competitor. The decision to buy the

British Air-Launched Anti-Radar Missile (ALARM) will provide more than 3,000 jobs, mainly in British Aerospace and Marconi Space and Defence Systems. If the American High Speed Anti-Radiation Missile (HARM) had been chosen, the bulk of that would also have been built in Britain, by Lucas Aerospace, providing about 2.000 jobs.

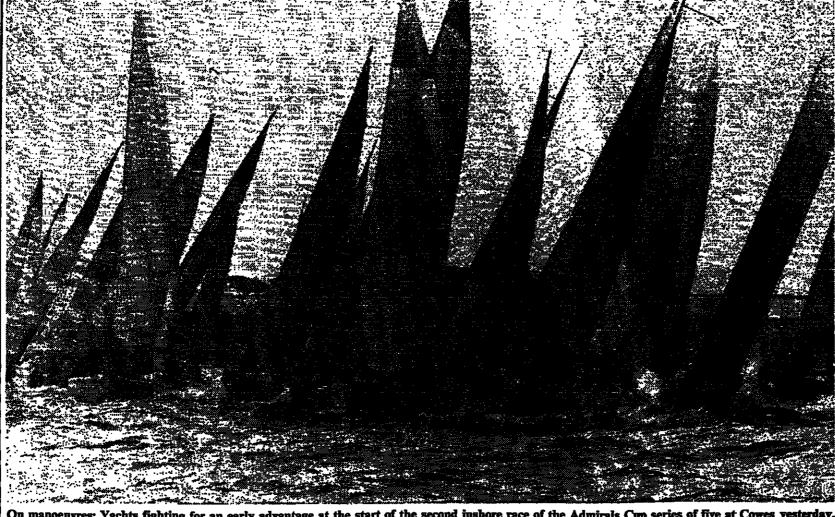
The factories which will benefit most are British Aerospace's plant at Lostock in Bolton as well as Stevenage. Bracknell and Hatfield, and Marconi's plants at Portsmouth and Stanmore. Lucas had given a warning that 1.500 jobs in Burnley and the West Midlands were at risk if it did not get the

Contract.
The missile is needed to provide the RAF's new aircraft. the Tornado, with a weapon for destoying radar defences. British Aerospace hopes to sell more than 2,000 world-wide. Yesterday's order for the RAF is thought to be for about 750.

Ministers were servily divided over the choice between HARM and ALARM. It is thought that the RAF would have preferred HARM because it is already in production, and they could have had it in service at least nine months earlier than ALARM.

However, Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence, and Mr Geoffrey Pattie, Minister of State for Defence Procurement, steadily backed the British missile. They were supported in this by Mr Cecil Parkinson, Secretary of Stare for Industry, and also, it is thought, by Mrs Thatcher, They were opposed by Mr Nigel Lawson, Chancellor, and Sir Geoffrey Howe. Foreign Sec-

It is probable that the element which weighed most strongly in favour of the British system was the desire of Government and industry to maintain a presence in a key area of weapons technology, that of very sophisticated 'smart" guidance systems.



On manoeuvres: Yachts fighting for an early advantage at the start of the second inshore race of the Admirals Cup series of five at Cowes yesterday. Photograph: Jonathan Eastland. Report: page 18.

By Jonathan Davis

Energy Correspondent

The Government is pressing

thead with plans to sell off

warship yards, Mr Norman Lamont, Minister of State for

Industry, said yesterday.

He told MPs that the

Government was committed to

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The corporation's accounts,

profit of £54.7m last year on

building and offshore activities.

Mr Lamont said the govern-

Israel tells Phalange to quit barracks

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houses are our houses" when Phalangist officers shepherded journalists into the village, "We will lie down in the street and let Israeli tanks drive over us," one villager shouted.

While such rhetoric sounds familiar in Lebanon, it is usually heard from Muslim militias and their supporters. Many Christian villages east of Sidon closed their shops in a general strike yesterday afternoon.

"I think this business is related to Saad Haddad" one leading Christian militia officer said in Beirut. "It seems that most of our people in the area want to join our forces and not Haddad's forces. So the Israelis are trying to close us down."

There was much talk among the Phalange last night that they would put up military resistance to the Israelis if they were ordered to vacate any more barracks.

The Phalange was founded in 1936 when Mr Pierre Gemayel, then a Lebanese football club Israelis to "Flush out ten official, visited Nazi Germany for the Olympic Games and killing in Sabra and Chatila.

came away impressed by what he was later to call "the need for order and discipline in Leba-

non". Mr Gemayel's son, Bashire, led the militia until his murder last summer a few days after being elected President of British Shipbuilders' profitable Lebanon and it is his brother. warship yards. Mr Norman Amin, who is now the Lebanese leader.

When the Phalange were fighting Palestinian Guerrillas during the 1975-6 civil war, the privatizing the yards as soon as Israelis armed, funded and supplied uniforms for the ation's heavy losses in other militia: Their relationship was divisions. cemented in June last year when the Israeli Army invaded published earlier, show that Lebanon to fight the Palestine British Shipbuilders made a Liberation Organization.

Conscious, no doubt, of the building warships, against losses of £162.1m on merchant shipbackground, the Israelis at that time preferred to call it by the more sanitized title of "The E127m, nearly 13 times the Lebanese Forces". But they government-imposed loss limit. quickly dispensed with this description after the militia ment would not be rushed into which was sent into the short-term measures to bail out Palestinian camps by the stractis to "Flush out terror- the corporation's chairman, Sir ists". embarked on an orgy of killing in Sabra and Chatila.

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Arabs under curfew for Shipyard sell-off to Jewish ceremony go ahead

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complained angrily. Earlier, the resentment of the local Arabs erupted when youths attacked Israeli ve-hicles after the curfew was temporarily lifted so people could buy food. It was immediately clamped down again while Israeli military vehicles toured with loud speakers.

As one of the first foreign reporters allowed into Hebron since Tuesday's atrocity. I was able to see at first hand that the Israeli authorities have chosen not to impose the restrictions on Jews in the city although Jewish extremists remain the prime suspects for having perpetuated the ran-dom gun and bomb attacks.

Rabbi Moshe Levinger, the leader of the settlers, spoke to me in his book-lined study overlooking Hebron market while soldiers kept guard from rooftop vantage points. As we spoke, other Jewish settlers were working close by rebuilding the former Jewish

quarter of a city holy both to Arabs and Jews, "I am not under curiew and nobody has interviewed me or my followers about the shooting", said the "That is not surprising as I

am convinced that it was not carried out by Jews. It was probably the work of Arabs who want to try and show that Jews and Arabs cannot live together. Yesterday afternoon, the

only shop in the whole of Hebron allowed to open was the Jewish settlers' gift store and cafeteria near the tomb of the Partiarchs and protected with thick iron grills. A group of 100 Jewish American tourists were basy buying trinkets, apparently oblivious of the inter-communal hatred simmering around them.

Some of the tourists, who had been allowed to break the curfew to visit the holy shrine and attend the commemoration ceremony, appeared under the impression that the Hebron Palestinians were on a selfimposed strike

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Frank Johnson in the Commons

Biffen rattles the ultimate weapon

Yesterday, the last full parliamentry day before the long recess, was marked by Labour members demanding assurances that the House would be recalled should the situation worsen in Central America.

Labour members were thus sending the most anxious message possible to President Reagan concerning the possi-bility of the Third World War breaking out in that region: Don't start it without us." There are the precendents of August, 1914, and September. 1939. Both were examples of world wars which started in what would otherwise have been the long recess.

Foreigners think they can get away with starting world wars while the House of Commons is not looking. Such foreigners have always reckoned without the feared standing order No 143, Britain's secret weapon. The provisions and facilities for the House being recalled are set out in Standing Order No 143", Mr John Biffen, the Leader of the House, had to

explain yesterday.

Many historians erroneously believe that Germany was beaten, the first time round, by the failure of Ludendorff's offensive of 1918 and, in the replay, by Hitler's decision to go into Russia. But in each case her fate was really sealed by Standing Order No

Many of us had hoped that this terrifying standing order would never be used again in our lifetime. If it were ever deployed in modern con-ditions, hundreds of MPs' holidays in the Dordogne, Prevence, Tuscany, the Costa Brave, and the increasingly popular Hattersley country of Yorkshire would be reduced to rubble. Among other horrors, the screaming of wives and other womenfolk would be ghastly to contem-

Not that Mr Biffen was seriously contemplating standing order's use. He was merely reminding us of its existence after a new Labour member. Mr Robert Wareing, of Liverpool, West Derby, had demanded: "If during the recess President Reagan's sabre-rattling over Central America is translated into direct American military involvement in Nicaragua and other Central American countries, threatening world peace, would the House be recalled? After rattling his standing order, thus threatening the world peace of all MPs about to go on holiday. Mr Biffen added some words of cautious optimism: "I hope we can ail leave this chamber hopeful and expectant that we will not be recalled until October

So Mr Biffen was still optimistic the crisis would all be over by August, that it would never come to Standing Order No 143. He still believed in the policy of recess with honour.

But his next questioner, Mr Ioan Evans, of Cynon Valley, another Labour member, was unconvinced. "The Central American situation is developing," Mr Evans said, darkly. He talked of "anxiety." He sought assurances that Mr Biffen would act if the arguments for a recall became necessary.

"Recesses are not analogous to holidays," Statemanship. which is the ability to tell new Tory MPs bad news. "They simply mean that members do not work in the House but in the constituencies and elsewhere."

This was rather damaging to the idealism of those new members who had come into the House inspired by a passionate belief in the long recess.

Mr Michael Foot raged at Mrs Thatcher during Prime Minister's questions for the last time. The subject was immaterial. Actually, it was bloodshed in Central America (American responsibility for). But it could have been Arms for Spain or Second Front

Over the last 50 years, the subjects may have changed. but the culprits - Tories and Americans - have not. Nor has the unmistakable Foot sound.

By the time the House returns, barring the ultimate weapon that is Standing Order No 143, he will have handed over the seals of the party leader's great windbag of office to Mr Neil Kinnock, a worthy

custodian.
The only controversial note on this last day was when Mr James Kilfedder, an Ulster member, denounced the visit to the House of Mr Gerry Adams, of Sinn Fein.

Happily, there was no unpleasantness in the chamber about this yesterday. The house moved inexorably towards the recess. So did L

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Today's events

Royal engagements

Cowes Week, arrives on HMY Britannia, 6.10. The Duke of Kent hosts a lunch for President Houphouet-Boigny of the Ivory Coast, Lancaster House. New exhibitions

ACROSS

birds? (5).

1 Get's help that's denied (8).

5 Transport offered to Miss Bell

10 The channel infested with sea-

11 Letter from abroad, not long

12 Forgotten, rejected, and so on, in rewritten legend (9).

13 Sorceress left out of the group

14 Complaint I will put before the Head (7). 16 Such variations in meaning

19 Young frequenter of the doctor's

premisea (Fitzgerald) (6). 21 Engineers about to join in

25 Romantic wedding - or goal-less

27 Stretched thin, the Rev Harding.

28 No theatre suffers a setback showing "Evita" (5).
29 Of which Cowper's hero was a

30 Gee! Disco dancing describes

if sent back north (4-5).

citizen (with credit) (6).

1 Titanic, boat grotesque (8). 2 Supporting evil for instance, friend is outside the law (9).

the shortest line (8).

Deity coming to a bad end in an indian city (5).

heartlessly contrived (6).

retreat by train (7).

ago, provides material for this

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Aris Council Travelling Gallery. & Fr. 9.30 to 5.30. Mon and Thurs entrance to Thistle Centre, Murray 9.30 to 8. Sat 9.30 to 1: tends entrance to Thistle Centre, Murray Place, Stirling; today, tomorrow and tomorrow).

Mon 10 to 5. Sculpture at Great Linford Arts Centre, Milton Keynes, daily 11 to 7, closed Wed; and sculpture walk, open dawn to dusk, daily, (until

Last chance to see

Work by Ulster Society of iew exhibitions

Industry into Landscape, Scottish

Royal Avenue, Belfast: Tues, Wed

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16.194

Work by Fred Bushe, Lennox Dunbar, Ian Howard and Frank Pottinger, City Art Gallery, School-hill, Aberdech; Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Thurs 10 to 8, Sun 2 to 5; tends This puzzle, used at the London A regional final of the Collins Dictionaries Times Crossword Championship, was solved within 30 minutes by 54 per cent of the finalists. Paintings by Michael Finch, City Museum and Art Gallery, Priestgate. Peterborough; Tues to Sat 10 to 5: (ends tomorrow). Photographs by Linda McCart-ney, Atkinson Gallery, Lord Street,

> Festival of Patchwork, Central Library, Lion Yard, Cambridge, Mon to Fri 10 to5, Sat 10 to 4.30; (ends tomorrow).
>
> A Fertile Field: work by Guild of Gloucestershire Craftsmen; and Hats by David Shilling, Art Gallery and Museum, Clarence Street,

sthport: Mon to Fri 10 to 5.

Thurs and Sat 10 to 1; (ends

Cheltenham; Mon to Sat 10 to 5.30; both end tomorrow), Watercolours by John Hoar, Banbury Muscum, Horsefair, Banbury; Mon to Sat 10 to 5; (ends

Music

Concert by Bournemouth Sym-Orchestra, Winchester phony Orche: Cathedral, 7,30, College Chapel, Cambridge, 8.
Concert by Cambridgeshire
County Youth Orchestra, Peter

orough Cathedral, 7,30. Concert by Gabrieli String Quartet, St Nicholas Chapel, King's ABB. S. Concert by the Chair of St John's College, Cambridge, Christ Church Cathedral, Oxford, 8.

Concert by Hull Junior Philharmonic Ensemble Wilberforce House, High Street, Holl, 7.30. Violin recital by Peter Csaba, accompanied by Moura Limpany, St Mary's Centre, Chester, 1.10. General

Watch entertainment interrup ted by commercial for make-un Metropolitan Police Horse Show, Police Training Novel soldiers (3-2-4). Establishment, Imber Court, East 18 He'll repair machine with Molesey, Surrey, today and tomorrow, from 1.45. International Folklore Festival: Singers, bands, Morris dancing, Sidmouth, Devon, various revues, 20 Some graceful marine creatt

Anniversaries

Parliament today

Commons(9.30): djournment debates.

(6). 21 Sir Richard's Nemesis (7). The foreman makes a mistake right? (6). Note name of material (5). 26 Transport was blue (5).

3 Climbing city street first in fashion (5).

8 31 days he gets first from magistrate for g.b.h. (6).
9 Cook's standard of fitness (6).

4 What starts things

of care (8).

6 An electrical discharge

Dismal king in love (5).

that's revolutionary (9).

Solution of puzzle No 16,193 EDAUSE EVETURED

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aw courts Prize Crossword in The Times tomorrow Trinity sittings at the Royal Courts of Justice and today. CONCISE CROSSWORD PAGE 8

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Food prices

Farmers are being allowed to sell extra-small potatoes for the next month because of the impact of the dry weather on the crop. The smallest allowed at the moment is 35mm, which would normally rise to 40mm next week as later crops become ready for lifting. This year the smaller minimum will be held or most of August.

Large joints of meat are cheaper

than usual at the moment because the hot weather is making people turn to lighter cuts like steaks: Cheaper alternatives for the hot weather include portions of frozen turkey breast which sell at about 70p each, depending on size. Another useful alternative for the hot weather is fresh crab for about £1 a pound for those who can dress the beast themselves; crab dressed by

Top films

on box-office films in London Superman III Octopussy Reum of the Jedi Monty Python's The Meaning of Life Flashdance Educating Rita Tootsie The Year of Living Dangerously King of CornedyHeat and Dust

Too five in the province: Octopussy The Dark Crystal Monty Python's The Meaning of Life Return of the Jedi Benito Mussolini was born at Predappio, Italy, 1883. Deaths: William Wilberforce, London, 1833: Robert Schumann, Endenrich, Compiled by Screen Interni

Germany, 1856; Vincent van Gogh committed suicide. Auvers-sur-Lise, France. 1890. The Spanish Armada was routed. 1588. Top video rentals Mad Max B (Warner)

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Roads

London and South-East: M20: Lane closures between junction I (Swanley) and 7 (A249, NE of Maidstone). A2:Lane closures on Boughton by-pass, Kent. A2-86/A285/A27; Heavy traffic because of Goodwood races, N of Chichester.

Chichester.
Wales and West: A40: Only one lane open westbound W of Carmarthen.A4/A37: Temporary one-way system on Bath Road/Wells Road, Bristol; diversion. M5: Lane closures between junctions 8 (M50 junction) and 9 (Ashchurch).
Midlands and East Anglia: A45:
Lane closures on Orwell Bridge.
Ipswich by-pass, M6: Northbound entry slip-road closed at junction 2 (M69 and Coventry East). A4-3/A413/A5: Heavy traffic because of racing at Silverstone, Northamptonebin

North: A1: Roadworks between A19 and A184, Testo's roundabout and Tyne Tunnel and A185 roundabout. M6: Lane closures between junctions 25 (A49, Wigan) and 27 (A5209, Wigan/Standish), Greater Manchester. A66: Temporary lights E of Bowes.

Scotland: A7: Delays at Langholm, Borders, M9: Lane closures between junctions 5 and 7 (Falkirk to Kincardine Bridge). A75: Single lane traffic with lights at Threave Bridge, West of Castle Douglas. A9: Single lane traffic with lights S of Auchterarder, Tayside.
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The papers

Commenting on Mr Michael Commenting on Mr Michael Foot's last day in Parliament as Labour leader, the Daily Mirror says: "The job he was given, to unite a party determined to tear itself apart, was an impossible one...(He) could never be a strong leader - that is not in his nature... yet in a perfect world all our leaders would be more like our leaders would be more like Michael Foot: people of compassion, honour and kindness".

Perhaps when Mr Foot returns to the backbenches he will recapture some of the flair for which he is remembered, says the Daily Ex-press. "He could be more of a thorn new quarters than he ever was from the despatch box."

Pollen forecast

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Weather A ridge of high pressure will

move slowly S over England and Wales, allowing a frontal trough to move SE across Scotland.

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of Dover, English Channel (E): Wind N,
moderate; sea slight. St George's
Channel: Wind W, light or moderate; sea
slight. Irish Sea: Wind SW, moderate or
fresh: sea moderate

Last quarter August 2. Lighting-up time

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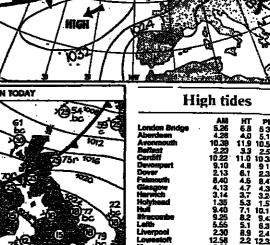
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